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FRANK L. MILLER,
District Passenger Agent,
237 South Spring Street, Los Angeles.

JAG HITCHED TO A WAGON.

How Chatsworth's Constable Makes Prisoners.

Pay Day and Big Jamboree Coming Tomorrow.

No Jail to Hold Drunken Espee Laborers.

Pay day and a howling jamboree of a hundred day laborers on the Southern Pacific tracks is the rude shock in store tomorrow for a little temperance town by the big Chatsworth tunnel.

When the sun goes down tomorrow night, a string of woe-begone and penitent "muckers" soaked in strong drink and remorse will be tied up like bleating calves to the tongue of the constable's farm wagon, in this little mountain hamlet of Chatsworth Park.

There is no jail there and the constable has to use his ingenuity, and his farm wagon tongue. Every railroad pay day there are more drunken visitors in the village than the entire population.

Yesterday the constable knocked off work on his farm and, got the ropes ready as though it were a branding day on a cattle ranch coming.

Bret Harte would have delighted in this chap. He is a big, broad-shouldered blue-eyed boy. His name is Fred Gray; he looks the name.

Last pay day he had to contend with a town tougher than Bret Harte ever saw. There were seventy-five or a hundred drunken railroad laborers in the place.

AT HOBO HOTEL.

They sat out under a great oak tree, near the railroad track, known to Chatsworth Park people as the Hobo Hotel, and gravely and systematically got drunk. They drink here sometimes for days at a time after the pay car comes, in riotous carousal. This does not stop until the last man's money is gone.

Owing to the fact that the place will be perfectly peaceful after the railroad laborers go, the Supervisors have refused to build a jail there.

Last pay day it was that Gray adopted his wagon tongue in place of a prison.

Single-handed or with the help of one or two citizens, Gray managed to get nine of them into a box car. The railroad loaned it to him. During the night some of the men from the railroad camp accomplished a rescue. They sawed a hole a yard square in the roof of the car out of which the nine men crawled to liberty.

Those to whom the constable gave the benefit of his personal attention did not fare so luckily.

The drunkest, boosiest of the lot, Gray dragged out to his wagon and bound him to the tongue. He stayed there all night in the reviving cool of the mountain zephyrs which usually sweep through the pass like a young hurricane. At periods during the night, he kept bawling aloud to the night, his growing yearning for the path of virtue and abiding conviction in the tenets of Francis Murphyism.

Another man the constable tied up like a trussed calf and threw him in the woodshed.

There were four or five more after the rope gave out.

He did these much honor by tugging them into his own parlor. There he planted them around him in a half circle, and heroically faced a combination breath that would have asphyxiated a rattle-snake, and the vigil of the live-long night.

They lay there and cursed him and all his ancestors, in all the dialects and languages known.

Every time one of them tried to get up, the constable would rise in his dignity and "hand him one." In other words punch his face.

As the hours passed and midnight faded and dawn came, humping down the stretch, they sat up in their circle and wept and wanted to tell the constable the sad stories of their lives. They wanted to tell him how they had fallen because no one ever loved them.

SUPREME COURT.

In the morning he sorted them out and untied them all around and took them off to the justice of the peace, a grocery clerk named Ferdinand Tetzlaff, who holds the Supreme Court of Chatsworth Park in his front parlor.

One man, a large burly hoodlum, resisted arrest and the constable had near a tragedy on his hands. Finally he had to hit him on the head with his handcuffs, this laid his head open; he was taken to the hospital.

The people of Chatsworth Park think they should be given a jail. The expense would be great, however, and the need is only temporary. The sun of California, which used to have the distinction of being the toughest place in California, has been sold for a chicken house. From this example the Supervisors believe in moral suasion, the doctrine of perverted good, and jailless reform.

SWELLEST BEGGAR ON THE WAY HERE.

THE swellest beggar in the United States is coming to Los Angeles. She's a regular high roller. Also several other unmentionable things.

Her name just now is Mrs. Jean Elisabeth Hunter. She has others. It depends on the climatic conditions.

The local authorities have been warned that she is headed this way. Her picture and a description of her method of working "easy marks" has been sent on ahead of her.

From the printed warning it is easy to be seen that she is no common penny beggar.

She poses as a widow forlorn. The paper says she has a "highly histrionic manner and an accentuated widow's mourning dress." It also mentions that she has used a large and variegated outlay of allesed husbands. She keeps changing them.

This fact, coupled with her perpetual widow's weeds, would seem to indicate that Mrs. Hunter constantly yearns for some one to take the vacant niche left by the dear departed. Tries them all but goes mourning on.

It is much to be feared that Jean Elisabeth Hunter is a shocking sort of person.

Her victims seem to be society women and men of money.

Her story is that she is the widow of a Milwaukee man of some means. She does not claim to be poverty-stricken. She says that his estate is so tied up in court that she is temporarily without money. There is an aged father in the cast of characters. He is supposed to be in want, or sick, or something and she must have money immediately. Now who would refuse a little loan to a woman like that?

As she travels all over the United States and carries some sort of a husband with her usually as excess baggage the graft must be good. She is headed this way from Colorado Springs.

Other beggars of wide notoriety will be stopped from coming here by the same means by which she will be headed off.

The Charities Department of the city of New York has started sending out books known as "confidential information" to charitable societies throughout the country in order that the beggars may be known. It is proposed to have the charitable societies keep in close touch, just as the police do, with a beggars' rogues' gallery.

The Associated Charities of this city will soon get out such a book with the pictures and careers of our long suffering street beggars who are getting rich from working charitable people.

HANGING IN THE BALANCE.

Choisser Case is Taken Under Advisement by Court.

Justice Chambers Will Render Decision Saturday.

Favorable Verdict Anticipated by the Defendants.

The almost interminable preliminary examination of Detectives Cowen, Murphy and Hawley on the charge of manslaughter is finished—all but the decision.

The arguments of counsel were concluded at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Justice Chambers then took the case under advisement until 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning. In announcing a recess until that time, Mr. Chambers said the evidence submitted was so voluminous and the arguments of counsel so lengthy, that he desired a little time to refresh his memory on some of the points at issue.

Speculation is rife as to what Justice Chambers's decision will be, but the consensus of opinion of those who have followed the case carefully, is that the defendants will not be held to answer. Indeed it is opined that the court would have decided the case on the instant, and decided it right, but for the fact of not wishing to be considered too hasty in the matter.

NO SNAP JUDGMENT.

Justice Chambers is not in the habit of going off half-cocked. In a matter of so great public interest, wherein not only the good name, the character and liberty of the defendants are at stake, but a great principle—whether officers of the law shall have the protection of the law in the discharge of their duties—is involved, courts are not in the habit of giving snap judgment. They want ample time to deliberate and reflect after all the evidence is in and arguments heard. It is customary in such cases to back a decision with a written opinion, so the stand taken by the court may not be misconstrued.

A FORLORN HOPE.

About the only grounds for hope that those interested in the prosecution have for a decision in their favor, is that Justice Chambers, fearful of the storm of abuse and calumny that will go up from the yellow press and others who have been clamoring for the conviction of the unfortunate detectives who took life while defending their own, will seek to evade criticism by shifting to a jury the responsibility for acquitting the accused.

A weak magistrate, fearful of his own shadow and afraid of sharing the vituperation that has been heaped upon the defendants in this case, in particular, and the police department, in general, on account of the slaying of the Choissers, would try to avoid any unpleasantness of this kind, by holding the defendants to answer to the Superior Court, whether the facts warranted such procedure or not. But Justice Chambers has given evidence of being made of sterner stuff. He is reputed to be a lawyer of ability and an honest and upright judge, seeking to do only that which is right and just in the eyes of the law, be the consequences what they may.

LAW AND EVIDENCE.

In deciding whether the defendants at bar should go before a jury for trial, Justice Chambers will no doubt be guided by the law and the evidence as he understands it. He will bear in mind that the prosecution's chief contention is that the defendants' attempt to arrest Joseph Choisser, which resulted in the double homicide, was without warrant of law. Assistant District Attorney James, in summing up for the prosecution, practically rested his whole case on this allegation. Mr. Morton, who closed for the prosecution, emphasized this contention, claiming that the telegram on which the officers acted did not furnish sufficient information to constitute ground for probable belief that a felony had been committd.

Counsel for the defense ably combated this argument, and cited the statutes and numerous authorities to show that the telegram in question was sufficient ground for action in the absence of the original warrant for arrest. It was a message from the Sheriff of Hardin county, Ill., a peace officer of the highest rank, requesting the arrest of Joseph Choisser on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. The Sheriff added, that he could obtain a requisition for the return of the culprit to the scene of his alleged crime. As requisitions for the return of fugitives from one State to another are granted only in felony cases, the local police were justified in presuming that Choisser was wanted for a felony offense, and they, therefore, had a right to use all necessary force to effect his arrest, and would have been remiss in their duty if they had failed to act in the premises.

THINGS TO CONSIDER.

That the Choissers made armed resistance when the officers tried to arrest the old man, and that both father and son became felons the moment they did so, if they were not already such, seems to be conclusively proven by the evidence submitted. That they lost their lives in the struggle that they themselves precipitated, is a melancholy circumstance, but not more lamentable than if they had succeeded in killing one or more of the officers, as seems to have been their design, rather than submit peaceably to arrest.

To hold them for trial would simply entail unnecessary hardship upon them and their families, and put the county to needless expense, besides giving temporary comfort and encouragement to the venal and vicious element that is trying to break down police authority and inaugurate a reign of lawlessness and disorder.

THE CLOSING ARGUMENT.

The closing argument for the prosecution was made by W. O. Morton, Esq., a reputed spellbinder, late of Texas. Mr. Morton heaved language in large chunks and orated long and laboriously in the effort to earn his fee, but the court and his audience were not spellbound so that you could notice it.

Not trusting himself to argue the technical points of law involved, Mr. Morton had part of his speech written out for him by Assistant District Attorney James. Producing the manuscript, which he said was a brief, or statement, prepared by Mr. James, Morton offered to submit it to the court without reading it, but Justice Chambers said he would hear its perusal.

Particular stress was laid on the allegation that the defendants had no right to attempt the arrest of Joseph Choisser without a warrant of law. The telegram on which the arrest was attempted, Mr. Morton contended, constituted no probable cause for belief that a felony had been committed by the elder Choisser. The officers had no right to attempt to make an arrest at night in the absence of a warrant issued on a felony complaint. They had no right to believe that a felony had been committed, and they knew it.

"By the reckless disregard of law by these officers, two lives were snuffed out at a breath," declared Morton in as dramatic a fashion as he knew how. He said he was as much a friend of law and order as anybody, but did not think the officers had a right to take the law in their own hands and send unshriven souls to eternity.

"I am not one of those who believe our police force is rotten to the core. There are some bad men on it, but as a whole it is as good a police department as any on earth."

Detectives Cowen, Murphy and Hawley, he contended, had shown their unfitness and incompetence by killing the Choissers in the attempt to arrest them, when the poorest patrolman on the force could have arrested them with no weapon more formidable than a clay pipe.

The money which young Choisser had on his person, Mr. Morton alleged, was not the spoils of his father's evil deeds, but was earned by his own hands. The court was given Mr. Morton's "word as a gentleman" for this.

If his strength would hold out, the lawyer from Texas said, he would show that Cowen and Murphy had falsified their testimony, both at the Coroner's inquest and in this examination. They might be excused for that, he said, for any man would be justified in trying to save himself by falsifying, if he heard the doors of the penitentiary clanking to receive him. "Why, I can't know but under similar circumstances I would falsify myself!" exclaimed the attorney.

Mr. Morton's strength was still holding out when the noon recess was taken, and when court reconvened at 1:30 o'clock he renewed the attack.

PROSECUTION'S FINISH.

Mr. Morton seemed to have gained confidence in himself during the recess, and, for a man who claimed to have been sick for the last two weeks, exerted himself in his clients' behalf in a really commendable manner. If the business of assistant counsel for the prosecution was to show what deep-dyed villains the defendants are, Mr. Morton's denunciation of the culprits filled the bill. He was especially severe with Cowen and Murphy, and clanked and banged the penitentiary doors after them until one could almost fancy seeing them doing time in a prison cell.

Mr. Morton spent much of his time in attempting to prove that Cowen and Murphy gave false testimony, and in whitewashing the prosecution's star witness, Arthur Clough, whose testimony was discredited by nearly every other witness in the case.

Morton quoted from the testimony of witnesses with reckless disregard for the records in the case, but was only once interrupted by counsel for the defense. Mr. Rogers called him down mildly for garbling the testimony given by Clough at the Coroner's inquest, and at the close of his argument Mr. Rush called the attention of the court to the fact that Morton had, inadvertently, no doubt, misstated facts as to testimony given at the inquest. Morton took the call-down in good part, and there was no further argument.

It was just 3 o'clock when Morton concluded, he having spoken all told three hours and a half—the longest speech delivered by any of the attorneys. Morton has done more hard work on the case, probably, than anybody else connected with it, and if the defendants are brought to trial in the Superior Court it will be in the nature of a personal victory for him, no disparagement being intended to the work of Mr. James of the District Attorney's office, or other associate counsel, all of whom did conscientious work in the prosecution of the case.

Y. M. C. A. TO BANQUET VISITORS OF NOTE.

THE Board of Directory of the Young Men's Christian Association of Los Angeles is making plans for the most elaborate and important banquet and entertainment ever given by the local organization. The event is to follow the twenty-third annual State convention, to be held in Fresno, February 4 to 7, inclusive. Monday evening, February 8, is talked of as the probable date of the dinner.

A committee has been appointed to arrange for the banquet, and is in communication with the principal Y.M.C.A. workers of the East who are to attend the convention as speakers, inviting them to Los Angeles at the close of the convention.

Some of the most prominent Y.M.C.A. workers in the United States are to attend the Fresno meetings, and their presence here is looked forward to by local workers as a visitation of importance to the work throughout Southern California. Among the men of national fame in this line who are expected to be entertained in Los Angeles are Cecil L. Gates of Atlanta, Ga., field secretary of the International Committee; G. K. Shuttleff, general secretary of the Cleveland Association; L. W. Messer, general secretary of the Chicago Association, and George M. Pierce, a member of the Board of Directors of the Dayton, (O.,) Association.

The banquet will be spread in one of the downtown hotels or cafes, and from fifty to one hundred covers will be laid, according to advices to be received later by those to whom invitations have been extended.

If the plans now under contemplation are carried out, the dinner will be a "swell" affair, entirely unlike anything attempted in the line of entertainment by the local organization before. It is considered well worth while to make a handsome showing, in view of the fact that many distinguished strangers will participate.

BODY OF CHARLES TO REST AT HOME.

THE body of Salem Charles, alias the mysterious Charles Hill, who left the much-claimed fortune, is to be dug out of his grave and taken back to be interred at his old Massachusetts home, which he left in anger so many years ago.

The Charles people are anxious that his body shall be taken away from here, where he rests in an alien soil, back from the place where all these law suits and bickerings and attacks upon his reputation have taken place; where he was accused of being a counterfeiter; back to the New England home, where he can sleep his long sleep in peace.

Salem D. Charles, his heir and namesake, began legal steps yesterday to get authority to take up the body. It is necessary to get permission from the Mayor.

If some of the people who have been fighting for the money had won the great will contest, the body of the old man could have lain there until doomsday, or the day after, for all they cared.

The members of the Charles family are proving what they claimed from the first: that it was not the money alone they were fighting for; that they were willing to spend every cent of it to clear the old man's name from the scandals heaped upon it.

Mr. Charles, when asked regarding the truth of the rumor yesterday, begged to be excused from saying anything about it, and asked that nothing be printed of it until later.

It is known to a certainty, however, that he has consulted lawyers in regard to getting authority to dig up the body.

The body will be taken back to Massachusetts, probably back to Brimfield, where he used to live as a boy. As Salem Charles and his family no longer live there, Mr. Charles being a prominent lawyer and politician of Boston.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Mayor Snyder yesterday afternoon gave the lie to the report that Police Commissioner Craig was resigning from the commission in order to be in line for appointment as Chief of Police.

The Supply Committee will recommend the creation of the office of municipal purchasing agent.

Today another will contest is to be begun before Judge Wilbur. G. P. Emerton, who conducted the Hotel Spencer, died and willed the hotel to his housekeeper, and now his aged mother wants to know the reason.

Isaac Hosier and M. A. K. Lindsay are suing Abner L. Ross and wife for $10,000 and the defendants are retorting by demanding the same amount. The cross-fire of suits is a result of the exchange of Eastern property for the Hotel Lindsay, now known as the Rosslyn.

The fate of little James H. Gillies is yet in the balance. His father, William Gillies, of Seattle, and the grandparents, Rev. J. S. Kline and wife, of Pasadena, each want the boy.

Fines in the Police Court the past six years amounted to nearly $160,000.

Nine lodging-house keepers arrested for doing business without city licenses have formed a combine to fight the law.

Gee Man Lowe wants a jury trial. His case has been set for February 13.

AT THE CITY HALL.

MAYOR NAILS ABSURD RUMOR.

CRAIG NEVER SOUGHT OFFICE OF CHIEF OF POLICE.

Commission Has Never Considered Change in Head of Department and Craig Is Thoroughly in Accord With Administration of Affairs.

Mayor Snyder yesterday afternoon gave the lie to the absurd report that James A. Craig's retirement from the Police Commission presaged his elevation to the office of Chief of Police.

"The paper or individual who asserts that Jim Craig resigned from the Police Commission in order to be in line for appointment as Chief of Police lies," declared the Mayor. "Mr. Craig has always shown a marked friendliness for Chief Elton and would not be guilty of such a bit of dirty politics. There is no disposition on the part of the Police Commission to retire Chief Elton. Mr. Craig conferred with me before presenting his resignation and I can assert with positiveness that his retirement from the board was due to his desire to give more time to his private business.

"Mr. Craig is a Democrat and I shall probably appoint a Democrat to succeed him. I shall announce my new appointee February 1, as that is the time Mr. Craig's resignation goes into effect."

"That report is silly," is the way Craig himself characterized the latest attempt of the calamity howlers to stir up dissention in the splendid administration of police affairs. "My resignation is now in the hands of the Mayor. It speaks for itself. Considering the way the department is hampered by a shortage of men, it is doing excellent work. If some people would work as hard to assist the department as they do to retard it work there would be less cause for complaint."

Mayor Snyder yesterday morning received a communication from Commissioner Craig, announced his retirement from the Police Commission, as follows:

"I hereby tender to you my resignation as Police Commissioner of this city, to take place February 1, 1904. It is with regret that I sever the pleasant official relations existing between the members of the commission and myself. I find, however, that, if the duties of Police Commissioner are to be conscientiously performed, a great amount of the time is necessarily taken from the ordinary business of the commissioner. This time I have devoted to the office since assuming it; but I find it no longer possible to do justice both to my business and to my official duties, and therefore feel that, in justice to myself, I cannot longer remain on the commission.

"I desire to express to you my wish for the continued successful administration of the police affairs of the city, but the personnel of the commission assures the city a continued successful administration of this department."

"I am sorry to lose Craig," said the Mayor. "He has been a hard worker on the commission and has always been in thorough accord with the administration of police affairs. He never missed a commission meeting where matters of importance were expected to come up and he never condemned a member of the department without first making a thorough investigation of the case. Craig contemplated retiring from the board several weeks ago but at my request he withheld his resignation until matters then before the commission were disposed of."

The Mayor said that he had practically decided who should succeed Craig but declared that he would not make it public until after Craig retires from the board.

PURCHASING AGENT.

RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL.

The Supply Committee will Monday recommend to the Council that favorable action be taken on that section of the Mayor's message recommending the creation of the office of municipal purchasing agent. All requisitions for city supplies first pass through the hands of the Supply Committee. This committee has found it impossible to investigate the demands from the departments, and the members have been called upon at times to sign requisitions when they were doubtful as to whether the prices paid were as low as could have been secured by a disinterested purchaser.

Davenport, who is chairman of the Supply Committee, yesterday received from the City Clerk a list of contracts for supplies that will expire during the present year. He took the subject up with the Finance Committee and said later in the day that the recommendation of the Mayor will be taken up Monday. He expressed the belief that favorable action will be taken, and that the position will be made an advisory one until it can be inserted in the charter at the next general election.

Buildings Completed.

New school buildings at Twenty-eighth street, Thirtieth street and Jefferson and Key West streets are completed, ready for occupancy and will be turned over to the Board of Education Saturday.

Saturday morning the members of the Building Committee of the City Council will make a final inspection of the buildings. If everything is found to be satisfactory they will be open for pupils next Monday morning. These buildings will relieve the congestion, where the children have been attending school in lunch pavilions, fitted up, as cheaprooms.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

EMERTON WILL CONTEST BEGINS.

THE MOTHER INTERVENES AT THE LAST MOMENT.

Undue Influence Alleged on the Part of the Housekeeper, Who Is Executrix Under the Will of the Late Proprietor of Hotel Spencer.

After all the details of the administration of an estate have been attended to, and the estate is on the point of being distributed, to have the whole matter set back by the filing of a contest is a surprise. This is the case with the estate of the late George P. Emerton. He died on August 25 of last year, and as there were no complications in the matter of the estate itself things were going along swimmingly when the mother of the deceased filed a contest of the will last month. Today this fight will open in Judge Wilbur's court, and it promises to be quite a fierce one.

Emerton conducted the Hotel Spencer on West Third street, between Broadway and Hill street. When he died after a rather long illness Mrs. Laura E. Hartman obtained probate of the will. Under the terms of that instrument Emerton had left the acres of land, located in Colorado, to his mother and brother, who live at Concord, New Hampshire. The mother is 75 years of age, and the brother 44.

The balance of the estate was left to Mrs. Laura Hartman, and it consisted almost entirely of the household and furniture of the Hotel Spencer. The estate altogether was alleged in the first instance to be worth about $2000.

The mother in her contest of her deceased son's will, according to her petition, is prepared to show that Emerton was incompetent to make a will at the time he is said to have made the one admitted to probate. She avers that by reason of dissipation and disease he was no longer in possession of his mental faculties so as to understand the terms of the will.

Then, Mrs. Emerton says that Mrs. Laura Hartman was housekeeper at the Hotel Spencer, and that she nursed her son during his last illness. She claims that the instrument was made under duress, menace, fraud, and undue influence on the part of Mrs. Hartman, who was named as the executrix as well as the principal legatee, and that she induced Emerton to sign the will.

It is also made a matter of complaint that the will was not subscribed to in the presence of the attesting witnesses, or acknowledged by Emerton as being his last will.

REWARD OFFERED.

LOOKING FOR PARKER.

Sheriff White has returned from his trip North to try and learn something about Ed Parker who gave Deputy Sheriff Cleveland the slip on the way to Folsom.

The escape was made at a place named Bealville near Caliente, and Sheriff White had a search made of the box cars at Mojave and other stations along the line, but without learning anything of the escape. Now handbills are distributed broadcast describing Parker, and offering $50 for his arrest.

FEMALE DETECTIVE.

WIFE'S EVIDENCE SUFFICED.

Mrs. Sarah A. Slocum developed a good deal of detective ability and she found just what she was looking for. She told all about it to Judge York yesterday, during the hearing of her application for a divorce from Benjamin F. Slocum.

Mrs. Slocum went away, partly for her health and partly to collect some money due to her, and her husband was quite willing that she should go. When she returned she was deeply grieved to find that he didn't enthuse at her reappearance.

"Why, papa, aren't you real glad to see me?" she inquired.

"No, I'm not glad to see you," he is said to have replied, and he tacked on a naughty cuss word that made his wife sit up straight.

After that, the husband inaugurated a custom of staying out late every night, and his wifey had to sit and twiddle her fingers all alone at home. Thereupon she hired a detective to follow her husband around and see how he passed his evenings. The report made to her was such as to stimulate her curiosity, and it was then that Mrs. Slocum enacted the part of a sleuth herself, and saw some strange things.

She had learned from the detective that her husband was in the habit of making frequent and extended visits to a Mrs. Weyburn, who was living at that time at 669 South Hill street, and posed as a medium. Determined to know for herself the wife waited each evening until her husband left the house, and took the Traction car, and then she would hurry on her hat and make a rapid exit and get aboard the University car, and she said that inevitably she would reach the Hill-street place before her husband. Standing away in the distance she saw him take Mrs. Weyburn to the theater and return, and then creeping up closer she saw him kiss his companion, on the stoop of the house. In detail, she gave a number of experiences last December while she was dogging her husband's footsteps.

Mrs. Slocum made out her case all right, and knowing that she must have corroborative testimony she told of many other things she had seen in which her husband and Mrs. Weyburn were participants, and when she had taken two gentlemen friends with her to watch the unhallowed goings-on.

The interlocutory decree was given for the asking.

CROSS-FIRE SUIT.

HOTEL MEN CLAIM DAMAGES.

The ins and outs of the hotel business are occupying the attention of Judge Conrey just now, for a long-delayed suit has at last come to trial and there is an imposing array of counsel.

Isaac Hosier and M. A. K. Lindsay are suing Abner L. Ross and Mrs. Emma C. Ross for $10,000 damages, and the defendants are retorting by demanding on a counter-claim the same amount from the plaintiffs as damages. Honors are even so far as the respective claims are concerned.

The plaintiffs used to conduct the Hotel Lindsay now known as the Hotel Rosslyn, and in November, 1898, an exchange was negotiated between them and the defendants to the present action. The Rosses gave the Lake View House at Interlachen, Florida, the Mount View Hotel at Deer Lodge, Tenn., also a house and lot a Chattanooga, Tenn., and a house and lot in Alexandria, Ind., in exchange for the Hotel Lindsay, with $3000 thrown in, posed upon by Ross and for the losses incident to the exchange and the alleged misrepresentations damages are placed at $10,000, and judgment is asked for that amount.

In a general way, Ross denies all the allegations made, and maintains that he was so disappointed with his bargain that he offered to exchange back again and give the plaintiffs a bonus of $1000 to call the trade off. They wouldn't do it, however, and now he claims damages for what he has lost through the misrepresentations made to him.

Bower and Pepper are aiding in the elucidation of the knotty problems involved in behalf of the plaintiffs, and L. H. Valentine and D. Allen are doing like service for the defendants.

COURT NOTES.

THINKS HE'S A CIRCUS. John Auden has been at the County Farm since about 1893, and now he has been sent to the State Hospital at Highland. Before Judge Wilbur yesterday for examination, he gave an exhibition. He thinks he is a circus, and he began by playing the clown and attempting to stand on his head. Then he did the Jehu act with a pair of pink and blue zebras, and with piebald monkeys as outriders. Barney O'Donohue, against whom the grand larceny charge was dismissed in order that he might be examined for insanity, was also committed.

THE GILLIES CHILD. The application of William Gillies for the custody of James Hollister Gillies, his five-year-old son, was heard in Judge Wilbur's court yesterday. The child has been in the custody of its grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Kline, since the death of its mother, and they oppose the application. The matter will be argued by the attorneys today.

JUDGE'S MOTHER SICK. Judge Trask and his brother, Attorney Walter Trask, received a telegram from the old homestead in Jefferson, Me., yesterday, informing them of the very serious illness of their mother. She has passed the allotted span of three score and ten by several years, and until recently has been strong and vigorous. Within the past year she has had one or two attacks which she shook off, but now the two sons are fearful of what may happen across the continent.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

JUSTICE MILLS' GOLDEN GRIST.

OVER FIVE-FOLD INCREASE IN HALF DOZEN YEARS.

Grafters Who Work Town but Pay Few Fines—Wholesale Arrest of Lodging-house Keepers for Failure to Pay License.

If the city of Los Angeles has grown and prospered during recent years, the same may be said of the business of the city justice mills. The grist of drunks, and vags and petty offenders has continued to flow into the hopper in an unceasing and ever-increasing stream.

A study of the figures from Justice Austin's court alone for the past six years, as copied from the records by Clerk W. W. Stockwell, proves interesting. It will be seen that the increase has been over five-fold. The figures are as follows: For the year 1898, $2215.50; 1899, $4629; 1900, $5712.50; 1901, $8174; 1902, $9473.00; 1903, $17,168.50; total, $48,-374.40.

The receipts in Justice Chambers's court are not so large, but they are sufficient to boost the grand total well up toward $100,000 in the period covered by Mr. Stockwell's figures.

Footless Grafter.

No feet, no fingers and half blind, miserable old Peter Fleming yesterday hobbled into the Police Court dock, and was charged with drunkenness, having been found lying on the sidewalk dead drunk. He belongs in Colorado, and like scores of other maimed, indigent and filthy specimens of humanity, he has drifted into Los Angeles to avoid the rigors of winter, expecting to win his way to luxurious living at the bar, through the "easy" generosity of the people of this city. He was given five days, and sentence was suspended to give him a chance to get out of town by this morning.

People who fee these miserable graffers on the streets do the greatest wrong, for in the majority of cases the money is spent in riotous living, and the attempt made to "work" the Associated Charities at the same time. After they have thus made their way on ill-judged charity for one year, the law recognizes them as citizens of the city, and they eventually become permanent charges at the County Home. About noon on a sunny December day the streets are lined with these future citizens.

Lodging-house Keepers.

Nine lodging-house keepers were yesterday arraigned before Justice Austin, charged with conducting houses, containing forty rooms or more, without having paid a city license. Those arrested are William Haven, G. W. Hatch, H. Robbins, F. H. Stitt, W. E. Fetsmer, M. Smith, C. Lynch, F. G. McDonald and J. H. Oberholtzer. They pooled their issues and employed a lawyer, who will enter a demurrer in all the cases on January 30 at 9:30 a.m.

Mrs. Loma Retires.

Mrs. M. Loma, who was arrested in November and charged with keeping a house of prostitution on Spring street under a sign reading "Loma Baths," was yesterday fined $25. The light fine was imposed in consideration of her announcement that she had retired from the business.

Lowe Wants Jury Trial.

The case of T. S. C. Lowe and C. R. Taylor of Los Angeles Independent Gas Company was up in court yesterday. They are charged with violating the gas-tax ordinance. The matter came up before Justice Austin and the defendants entered a plea of "not guilty." They also demanded a jury trial. The case was set for February 18. A similar case is pending against the gas men in Justice Chambers's court, which will be tried February 16.

SULPICIAN SUPERIOR GENERAL.

Dr. E. R. Dyer, superior general of the order of Sulpician priests, and president of St. Mary's University at Baltimore arrived in Los Angeles yesterday and is a guest of Very Rev. P. Harnett at the Cathedral residence on East Second street. He leaves this afternoon for Chicago, and has been at San Francisco in consultation with Archbishop Riordan as to the opening of a theological department at the arch-diocesan seminary at Menlo Park. The Sulpicians have charge of the largest Catholic seminaries in the world, and the Baltimore institution is the mother house of the order in promoted to the head of this order the United States. Mr. Dyer was about a year ago, upon the death of

EACH WAITED FOR OTHER'S ADVANCE.

GIVEN two persons with nerves on edge, one naturally inclined to preciseness, rendered more pronounced by military discipline, and the other with the charming mannerisms and culture of the Southern girl, but—well, perhaps not quite so precise in her way of doing things—and there are the elements of a bad tangle in the weaving of their destiny.

That is what appeared to be the conditions in the divorce suit of Lieut. Walter S. Volkmar against Mrs. Caroline V. Volkmar. He is a handsome young man, who won his spurs in the Cuban campaign before Santiago, and enjoys the special allowance for bravery. His wife is a woman of charming manner, and in the soft, sibilant accents of the South, modestly told her side of the unhappy story while confessing that she loves her husband and wishes even now to return to him. But he is proud and—obdurate.

Col. William P. Voss was the commanding officer at Fort McHenry, and Lieut. Volkmar loved and won his daughter. They were happy for a time, and then came the stern alarms of war, and Lieut. Volkmar sailed for Cuba. He was attached to the Signal Corps at first, and later was adjutant of the artillery battalion before Santiago. He distinguished himself in the field, but was suddenly stricken with yellow fever, and returned home on board the pest ship, the notable Concho. Invalided, he went to recuperate at a small place called Center Moriches, on Long Island, and there the troubles between husband and wife had their inception.

THEIR TROUBLES BEGIN.

The foundation of the plaintiff's complaint was laid when the depositions of two witnesses were read. The first was by Mrs. Bishop, at whose house Lieut. and Mrs. Volkmar stayed at Center Moriches. Mrs. Bishop testified that while at her house Mrs. Volkmar was sulky, sullen and had little to say to her husband. They went to board with her in October, 1901, and Mrs. Vpikmar left without

MRS. VOLKMAR AND HER MOTHER AND HUSBAND IN COURT.

the consent of her husband, as she told witness, to visit her parents. She said that she was going to remain away a long time.

The other deposition was by Dr. Bodine of Center Moriches, who, it appeared, was between the cross-fires of Lieut. Volkmar and his wife. His witness said he never heard the lieutenant say an unkind word to his wife, but had heard Mrs. Volkmar speak very unkindly.

"He consulted me," testified Dr. Bodine, "and she kept him on a nervous strain, at times scratching, biting and spitting in his face. She herself admitted to having on one occasion threatened his life, and I told her that in no sense was her husband insane, but that quarreling was the very worst thing for a man in his condition, suffering from neurasthenia."

In July, 1903, it was shown Mrs. Volkmar registered at the Hotel Baltimore as Mrs. Caroline Preston.

Lieut. Volkmar went on the witness stand and told his story with military exactness. He said he was in a highly nervous state, while at Mrs. Bishop's house, and that his wife went away and left without his consent.

"She told me," said Lieut. Volkmar, "that she couldn't get me into a madhouse, and couldn't hurt me, as she had threatened, and so said there was doubt about her returning. She went away in December, 1901. She told me she was going to New Orleans, but she met her mother in New York, and remained there several weeks. I wrote several letters to her asking her to return, though not in so many words."

The witness was put through a long cross-examination by Maj. Jones as to the character of the letters he wrote to his wife.

DOESN'T LOVE HER NOW.

"You gave no indication that you loved her and really wanted her to return?" persisted Maj. Jones.

Lieut. Volkmar displayed deep feeling as he replied: "No, sir; it's hard for a man to bare his heart to a woman who had treated him as she treated me."

"And all the time you were writing those letters you were in love with your wife?"

"Yes, sir, I was."

"And you are now?"

There was a gracious moment of hesitation. Then Lieut. Volkmar said: "No, sir. I cannot say that—now."

But Mrs. Volkmar was willing to go farther than her husband.

"I have been waiting for him to ask me to return," she said, in answer to her attorney's query.

Even on cross-examination she spoke frankly, though her statements were in direct contradiction of what had been stated by other witnesses. She said that in the old days her husband was very nervous. He had nothing to do, little things were magnified, and he worried.

"Were you happy?" inquired Mr. James, counsel for her husband.

"Sometimes we were very happy," was the answer, made in a tone in which there was a pathetic ring.

THE LIE IS PASSED.

"I had gone to Dr. Bodine for advice," said Mrs. Volkmar, "because I had no relatives or friends. He told me that for both our sakes it would be better for me to go home for a time."

"But Dr. Bodine says he didn't advise you to leave," and counsel looked triumphantly at the witness.

"But he did," was the quietly-made answer, and Mrs. Volkmar leaved counsel as well as her husband in the face. "Before leaving I told Walter that even then if he would only say so I would not leave. And he took and put me on the train. He didn't say to me that he wanted me to go, but he raised no objection."

"And why didn't you return?"

"I was waiting for a letter indicating that he wanted me back."

Coming down to a recent period in this city, Mrs. Volkmar said she came to California solely for the purpose of joining her husband.

"Well, he wanted you to go to Pasadena?"

"Yes, and I told him that when he got a home I would come. I had no means of knowing he had a home there."

Col. Voss went upon the witness stand merely to tell why his daughter registered under the name of Caroline Preston. He said that when he heard about it he told her he didn't approve of that kind of thing, and inquired her reason for doing it. She told him that her own name—Volkmar—is a very uncommon one, and she didn't want to provoke comment, or drag the name of her husband into publicity.

The case will be argued and submitted.

ASSAULT ON STREET.

Night Prowler Strikes Boy on the Face and Then Calls for the Police.

S. L. Smith, who is well known to the police, created a scene at Fourth and Spring streets yesterday by calling "Police," at the same time striking W. H. Martin a violent blow on the face. With Martin was an old man named Lucas, and when Officer Walker grabbed Smith by the collar he asserted that Martin was trying to rob Lucas. The three were taken to the Police Station, and after an investigation, Smith was locked up and charged with battery, the other two being released.

Smith acted like a crazy man. He is looked upon by the police as a crook. Among the effects taken from his pockets were two files. He had on at least two former occasions been under arrest, the last time but a few weeks ago. Then a lady telephoned from Pico Heights that a man was prowling about her house in the dark. When the officers arrived she had fired a shot at the prowler, and he had run away, but was caught on Catalina street and locked up. No serious charge could be lodged against him, and he was given ten days as a "drunk."

When taken to the station yesterday he acted wild and uttered threats against Martin, who is but a boy.

Smith has far more the appearance of a crazy man than of a crook.

"DUSTLESS" SUITS.

New Jersey Concern Seeks Further Damages from Users of Oil for Public Thoroughfares.

The Dustless Roadbed Company of Camden, N. J., the concern that is so jealous of persons or corporations using crude oil on public thoroughfares, is "after 'em" again with a club. On top of its suit against the city of Long Beach for alleged infringement of its oiled-road patent, the "Dustless" has filed two complaints of a similar nature in the United States Circuit Court.

One of them is against the city of Redlands, wherein damages to the modest amount of $25,000 are asked, because of the Orange Belt beauty's use of crude oil to settle the top layer of red land on its streets, in a fashion which the Camden concern claims is nothing short of taking illegal liberties with its patent roadbed process. Papers in the case were served on Mayor Fowler of Redlands Wednesday by Deputy United States Marshal Traeger.

The third suit of the kind now on record, filed yesterday, is directed against James Oakley, Samuel McCray et al., for alleged infringement of the roadbed process in Los Angeles county. The amount of damages sought is $5000.

WILL FIRE POLICE FORCE.

Because Thomas Butler did not Get Immediate Attention in Receiving Hospital, He'll Make Trouble.

The entire police force is to be dismissed and new officers appointed in every department, if Thomas B. Butler of No. 1430 Wall street has his way. He has threatened to report all of them to Councilman Davenport. "Dav." will fire all of them if I tell him to do so," is the way he put it.

Butler was drunk yesterday and fell on the sidewalk, sustaining a slight scalp wound. A policeman sent him to the Receiving Hospital and there he was obliged to wait until the surgeon dressed the injuries of a child who had been sent in as the result of a bicycle accident. Butler did not like to wait and proceeded to make things warm in the hospital. He swore, stormed and fumed, said he was worth $100,000; that Councilman Davenport lived in his house, and that "Dav." would take orders from him. He became so violent that instead of being released as soon as his injury was dressed he was locked up and will be prosecuted for drunkenness.

IMPRESSIVE PSYCHOLOGIST.

Dr. Price Delivers the First of a Course of Three Lectures in Elks' Hall.

Dr. W. R. Price lectured in Elks' Hall last night upon "The New and Practical Psychology," which he announced was simply the "science of the living soul."

The doctor, who is a somewhat pompous gentleman, in a full beard, bald head and an abnormal Prince Albert coat, performed the trick of being introduced to his audience when he wasn't there. As the introducer retired the lecturer walked impressively upon the platform and stood for a half a minute at the footlights without uttering a word.

His lecture was a learned and eloquent aggregation of ultimate, immutable, metaphysical, psychological things that called for considerable strenuosity on the part of ordinary mortals, that the chunks of congealed wisdom might be gulped down.

It was rather astounding to hear the lecturer declare: "I will meet every expectation during this course of lectures."

He gave an hour and a half of it last night, but it was rather too tense for

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EVENTS IN LOCAL

YESTERDAY afternoon a pretty little card party was given by the Misses Jess and Rachel Houston at their home, 2624 Vermont avenue. The date was for the meeting of a neighborhood whist club, but other guests were present. The house was prettily decorated in red and green, and the score cards were dainty lavender cards, tied with lavender cords. Whist was the game played the afternoon, and the prizes were awarded as follows: First prize for the ladies, a golden hat pin, Miss Lillian Landt; consolation for visitors, a pair of her little Dutch dust caps, went to Miss Annette Gibson. The first prize for members of the club went to Miss Florence Texeira, and was a dainty lace serving apron. The consolation prize was awarded to Miss Katherine Kurtz. After the cards were finished dainty refreshments were served at the tables. Those present were members of the card club present were: Mrs. Lewis Works, Mrs. Ross Ensign, Mrs. Addison Day, Mrs. Joseph Ellison, Mrs. Roy Hillard and the Misses Jess Houston, Katherine Kurtz, Elsie Orr, Carol Florence Newsom and Stella Texeira. The guests for the afternoon included Mmes. Sam Haskins, Ross Smith, Walter Tyler, Morgan, and the Misses Campbell, Maude Masac, Annette Alexander, Evelyn Prewitt, Adelaide Jones, Ric Anderson, Anderson, Grace Rowley, Kathryn Landt, May Houston, Dexter, Madge Conger and Katherine Ferguson.

Evening Event.

Miss Annis Van Nuys of West Sixth street has as her house guest Miss Ewing of Pottsville, Pa. On Saturday evening Miss Van Nuys has had a little dinner for a few friends complimentary to Miss Hemphill.

Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Uldric Joseph Marchand of No. 1427 Bond street entertained informally Wednesday evening. The house was effectively decorated with pink geraniums and potted plants, and during the evening a musical program was rendered. Later light refreshments were served to the guests. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Murphy and Mrs. J. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chilton, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Al Pence, Mr. and Mrs. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, Misses Hare, Bennett, MacKenzie and Ferris, Mr. McDonald, Marchand, Wright, Pence, Charles Hallfhill and Ferris.

Luncheon.

Miss Kate Spence of Monrovia gave a luncheon yesterday to a few friends in Los Angeles.

Terrace Club.

The promises to be one of the most delightful events of the season among those to get will be a dance given by the members of Los Perros Club at Hazard's Pavilion on Friday evening, February 5, for which Ellery's Royal Italian Band has been specially engaged to furnish music.

Afternoon.

Mrs. Ulric Joseph Marchand (nee Miss Arnold) of No. 1427 Bond street entertained at a musical afternoon yesterday. The house was made attractive with decorations of scarlet. In the hall the chandelier was wound with asparagus plumosus fern and a bunch of scarlet poppies was suspended from it. The mantelpiece was a mass of asparagus plumosus with poppies of scarlet crepe here and there, making a bit of color. The drawing-room contained clusters of the bright poppies and from the chandeliers, which were covered with red crepe paper, tiny mandolins, guitars and banjos, fashioned of red crepe paper swung, tied with red ribbons. The doorway was draped with red and flimsy curtain of asparagus plumosus, with touches of red given by poppies and mandolins and guitars. The dining-room scarlet geraniums were used most effectively. The library was a mass of potted plants and scarlet poppies, arranged in clusters. The tables here were shaded with scarlet, giving a warm glow over the fair faces of the hostess and her friends. A unique programme was arranged for the afternoon. It was in the form of a musical story. The idea was a thought of the hostess, and was because of much merriment among the guests. The musical selections were rendered by Prof. Martins. The programmes were dainty affairs tied at a pretty maid in watteau colors and tied with red ribbons. Later in the afternoon a buffet luncheon was served.

Mrs. Marchand was assisted in receiving her guests by the Misses Bee Bennett and Carmelita Hare. Among the guests for the afternoon included Mrs. J. Bennett, Mrs. M. J. Tyler, Mrs. Charles Chilton, Mrs. F. E. Murphy, Mrs. Charles Treat, Mrs. Schenck, Mrs. Tefft, Mrs. John McClure, Mrs. W. Garland, Mrs. L. J. Howard, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. H. D. Mrs. M. H. Hawkins, Miss Church, Miss Luna Dennen, Miss Chapman, Miss Carmelita Hare, Miss Lisabeth Fitch, Miss Eva Bennett, Miss Carrie Bogart, Miss Campbell, Miss Juana Creigh, Miss Juana Neal, Miss Maude Miss Nora Dickenson, Miss Bennett, Miss Faith Hildreth and Miss Louise Bashford.

Theta Phi.

Bessie Allen of No. 1432 South Hope street, will entertain Beta Chapter of Lambda Theta Phi Sorority on Saturday afternoon.

Bride to Daggett.

Jack Murrietta, one of the best-known young men in Los Angeles society, has accepted a position as Surveyor for the Salt Lake Railroad, and will reside in Daggett. Many feminine hearts are fluttering at the loss of such a popular young bachelor.

Miss Guyer.

Miss Vera Morehouse of Pasadena entertained yesterday in honor of Miss Ruth Guyer, one of Pasadena's most popular brides, with a most beautiful luncheon.

The centerpiece on the table was a large baptismal bowl filled with white chrysanthemums and maidenhair ferns, and over this stand a mass of [illegible] At each place was a pretty basket filled with Roman hyacinths, and the place cards were little Japanese favors. The table was further augmented with green candelabra with white and green checks.

Those for whom covers were laid were Mrs. Clarence C. Mann, Mrs. Ben S. Cravens, Mrs. Lloyd R. Mary, Mrs. Fagionni, Miss Behr, Miss Towne, Miss Annie Holmes, Miss French, Miss J. Fyle and Miss Emma Claypool.

Last Evening.

Miss Thaneides Berner and Stacey F. Bibb were married last evening at the home of the bride, No. 362 Wall street, Rev. J. M. Schaefle, pastor of Pico Heights Church, performing the ceremony. The house was beautifully decorated with poinsettias and [illegible] against banks of [illegible] The bride was attended by Miss

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[illegible] Evening.

[illegible] Mrs. Ulbric Joseph Marchand, [illegible] 1427 Bond street entertained [illegible] Wednesday evening. The [illegible] effectively decorated with [illegible] ferns and potted plants, [illegible] the evening a musical programme was rendered. Later light refreshments were served to the guests, [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Murphy, [illegible] and Mrs. J. McClure, Mr. [illegible] Charles Chilton, Mr. and [illegible] A. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Al [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Myers, Mr. [illegible] C. Smith, Misses Hare, [illegible] MacKenzie and Ferris; [illegible] McDonald, Marchand, Wright, [illegible] Charles Hallhill and Ferris.

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[illegible] Luncheon.

[illegible] Spence of Monrovia gave a luncheon yesterday to a few friends [illegible] Angeles.

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[illegible] Club.

[illegible] promises to be one of the most [illegible] events of the season among [illegible] set will be a dance given [illegible] members of Les Freres Club [illegible] Friday evening, Feb- [illegible] at which Ellery's Royal Italian [illegible] has been specially engaged [illegible]

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[illegible] Afternoon.

[illegible] Joseph Marchand (née [illegible] of No. 1427 Bond street [illegible] a musical afternoon yesterday. [illegible] was made attractive with [illegible] of scarlet. In the hall [illegible] chandelier was wound with asparagus [illegible] plumosus fern and a bunch of [illegible] poppies was suspended from it. [illegible] staircase was a mass of asparagus [illegible] with poppies of scarlet crepe [illegible] here and there, making a bit of [illegible] The drawing-room contained [illegible] of the bright poppies and from [illegible] candeliers, which were covered [illegible] red crepe paper, tiny mandolins, [illegible] and banjos, fashioned of red [illegible] paper twined, tied with red ribbons. The doorway was draped with [illegible] and filmy curtain of asparagus [illegible] with touches of red given [illegible] poppies and mandolins and guitars. [illegible] dining-room scarlet geraniums [illegible] used most effectively. The [illegible] was a mass of potted plants and [illegible] poppies, arranged in clusters. The [illegible] here were shaded with scarlet, [illegible] a warm glow over the fair [illegible] of the hostess and her friends. [illegible] unique programme was arranged [illegible] afternoon. It was in the form [illegible] musical story. The idea was a [illegible] thought of the hostess, and was [illegible] of much merriment among [illegible] The musical selections were [illegible] by Prof. Martins.

[illegible] programmes were dainty affairs [illegible] a pretty maid in water colors, tied with red ribbons. Later [illegible] afternoon a buffet luncheon was [illegible]

[illegible] Marchand was assisted in receiving her guests by the Misses Bee [illegible] Bennett and Carmelita Hare. [illegible] guests for the afternoon included [illegible] J. Bennett, Mrs. M. J. Tyler, [illegible] Chilton, Mrs. F. E. Murphy, Mrs. Charles Treat, Mrs. [illegible] Schaeck, Mrs. Telfair Creighton, John McClure, Mrs. W. [illegible] Mrs. L. J. Howard, Mrs. J. O. Smith, Mrs. H. D. [illegible] Mrs. M. H. Hawkins, Miss [illegible] Church, Miss Luna Dennen, [illegible] Chapman, Miss Carmelita [illegible] Miss Lizabeth Fitch, Miss Eva [illegible] Miss Carrie Bogart, Miss [illegible] Campbell, Miss Juana Creighton, Miss Juana Neal, Miss Maude [illegible] Miss Nora Dickenson, Miss [illegible] Miss Faith Hildreth and [illegible] Bashford.

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[illegible] Theta Phi.

[illegible] Allen of No. 1632 South [illegible] will entertain Beta Chapter of Lambda Theta Phi Sorority on [illegible] afternoon.

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[illegible] in Daggett.

[illegible] Murrietta, one of the best-[illegible] young men in Los Angeles so- [illegible] has accepted a position as Surgeon for the Salt Lake Railroad, and [illegible] will reside in Daggett. Many feminine [illegible] hearts are fluttering at the loss of [illegible] a popular young bachelor.

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[illegible] Guyer.

Mrs. Vera Morehouse of Pasadena [illegible] entertained yesterday in honor of Miss [illegible] Guyer, one of Pasadena's [illegible] most brides, with a most beautiful [illegible] luncheon.

The centerpiece on the table was a [illegible] basketful bowl filled with white [illegible] and maidenhair ferns, and [illegible] this stand a mass of [illegible] ariet [illegible] At each place was a pretty [illegible] basket filled with Roman hyacinths, [illegible] The place cards were little Japanese [illegible] fans. The table was further [illegible] with green candelabra with [illegible] and green checks.

[illegible] for whom covers were laid [illegible] Mrs. Clarence C. Mann, Mrs. [illegible] S. Crabtree, Mrs. Lloyd R. Macy, [illegible] Pagliotti, Miss Behr, Miss Towne, [illegible] Annie Holmes, Miss French, Miss [illegible] Pyle and Miss Emma Claypool.

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[illegible] Last Evening.

[illegible] Theodore Berner and Stacey F. [illegible] were married last evening at [illegible] home of the bride, No. 942 Wall [illegible] Rev. J. H. Schaefle, pastor of [illegible] Methodist Church, performing [illegible] ceremony. The house was beautifully [illegible] with poinsettias and [illegible] against banks of [illegible] was attended by Miss [illegible] who wore a white gown and carried white carnations, and J. B. Berner, the bride's brother, was best man. The bride was gowned in a stunning frock of white chiffon and carried a shower bouquet of white brides' roses.

Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was rendered and "Call Me Thine Own" during the evening. After the ceremony a supper was served by Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Catey left soon after the ceremony for a visit to San Francisco, Oregon and Washington, and also will spend a couple of months in Honolulu. They intend living in Mexico, where Mr. Catey's mining interests call him.

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Card Party.

Mrs. Sumner P. Hunt of No. 2845 Severance street was the hostess yesterday afternoon at an informal card party, given in honor of Mrs. Joseph Rucker of San José. There were about thirty-five women entertained in the course of the afternoon, at seven-handed euchre. Mrs. Hunt was assisted in entertaining her guests by Mrs. Edward D. Silent and Mrs. Francis J. Thomas. After the cards were played delicious refreshments were served at the tables.

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For Mrs. Janis.

For Mrs. J. G. Janis of Kentucky, Mrs. Jonathan R. Scott of No. 1233 South Hope street, gave an informal afternoon yesterday. Sixty or seventy guests enjoyed the occasion, which was devoted to the gossipy conversation so interesting to women. The rooms were made bright with cut flowers and potted plants, and dainty refreshments were served.

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Musicale at Cumnock.

Last evening was the date of a most delightful musicale, given by Mr. and Mrs. George Thresher of No. 1612 Westlake avenue, at Cumnock Hall. The programme rendered was by the Thresher Quartette, which has been organized by Miss Maria Thresher. The quartette is composed of Miss Maria Thresher, first violin; Mr. Lowinsky, second violin; Mr. Carter, viola; Mr. Stewart, 'cello. They were assisted by Miss Mary O'Donoughue, pianist, and Mr. Barnhart, basso. During the evening more than two hundred guests enjoyed the musical programme, after which refreshments were served. The affair was among the most delightful of the season in musical circles. Miss Maria Thresher assisted in receiving. She has recently returned from Boston, where she has been pursuing a course in music for several years.

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Whist Party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Werdin of No. 1620 Hobart boulevard, gave a whist party last evening at which the following guests were present: Mrs. Charles Stansbury, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Howard, Dr. and Mrs. Sumner J. Quint, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCormack, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKeon, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Foster, Miss Nan Barnell and Lester Robinson.

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Box Party.

Dr. E. A. Bryant and Howard E. Huntington gave a large box party last evening at the Mason Opera-house to thirty-two of society's elite. All the boxes in the theater contained the gay party.

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Whist Club.

The Fortnightly Whist Club was entertained on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Simons, No. 1342 West Sixteenth street. The house was tastefully decorated with roses, carnations, calla lilies and ferns. Mrs. Simons was assisted by her mother, Mrs. L. S. Ellis of Chicago, and her niece, Miss S. May Lee of North Dakota. After the play and serving of refreshments the following prizes were awarded: To Mrs. D. A. Meekins, a handsome tray cloth and to Mrs. G. W. Randall a vase of Rozaur ware. Mr. Meekins received a very pretty gilded clock, while W. W. McLeod was pleased to carry away a handsomely framed and illuminated toast. The guests of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. George W. R....dall, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McLeod, Mrs. M. L. Gabbert, Mrs. Rupert E. Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Meekins, Mr. and Mrs. Warren S. Young, Mrs. A. H. Heber; Drs. L. E. and Grace Wyckoff, Miss Louise Crawford, Miss Olga Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Br...ster-Smith, W. H. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Harry K. Wheeler.

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Notes and Personals.

An enjoyable dance was given at Hotel Lovejoy last evening.

Mrs. Joseph Ellison will entertain on the 2nd of February in honor of Miss Newsom of Texas, who is her house guest.

Mrs. O. N. Van Nuys is in San Francisco for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cleaver left Sunday for Naples, Italy, and they expect to spend a year visiting different parts of Europe.

FREE METHODIST COLLEGE.

Board of Directors Arrange for Opening of Institution Next September Faculty Being Chosen.

The Executive Board for the Los Angeles Free Methodist Seminary, now being built at Highland Park, held a long meeting and planned for the opening of the new school next September.

The Building Committee reported that the structure was enclosed and good progress is being made in the work. However, it will not be completed in time for the holding of a spring term of school.

The directors discussed the matter of arranging the faculty, and authorized negotiations for the engagement of Prof. J. E. Coleman of Rochester, N. Y., for the presidency; Prof. M. J. Burnett of Evanston, Ill.; Prof. D. S. Warner of Spring Arbor, Mich.; Prof. Candice Nelson of Lincoln, Neb.; Mrs. E. C. Klipch of Elkhart, Ind.; and Miss Emma Bellew of Chesboro Seminary, N. Y.

The final selection of the faculty was placed in the charge of Prof. J. G. Baird, Dr. G. W. Griffith and Rev. C. B. Eby.

As a committee for the furnishing of the college building and the beautifying of the grounds Rev. C. B. Eby, Rev. E. Leonardson, Prof. J. G. Baird, D. G. Shepherd and H. Bush were appointed.

The annual conference of this denomination for Southern California and Arizona will meet in Los Angeles next May, and at that time the course of study and other details for the opening of the school will be determined. It is planned to make this the church school for California, Arizona, New Mexico and Nevada.

Rev. C. B. Eby, editor of the Free Methodist, came from Chicago to attend this meeting of the directorate, and to look after other important interests of the church in the West. He was formerly located in the pastoral

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TALKS WITH TRAVELERS.

"A real 'human interest story,'" said Dr. Richard Burton, a Boston tourist, yesterday, "lies behind a little five-line dispatch from Paris that appeared in The Times recently, announcing the death of Mrs. Josiah Quincy of Boston. Mr. Quincy was the third of the name to be Mayor of Boston. Each of the Josiah Quincys was desirous of leaving behind him a monument to himself and the family name in the shape of some great public improvement, and likewise an heir, another Josiah Quincy, who might succeed to the Mayoralty of Boston or in some other way become distinguished. The first Josiah Quincy was the first Mayor of Boston, for the old town did not become a city until about 1822. The municipal improvement he left as a monument was Quincy market, almost contiguous to Faneuil Hall. The next Josiah Quincy who was Mayor of Boston was the first Mayor's son, and his rule was marked by the introduction of water by mains and pipes. The third Josiah Quincy to be Mayor of Boston, the one whose wife has just died in Paris, was the grandson of the second Mayor Josiah. In many characteristics he was strikingly different from his predecessors. He is a practical politician, and his affiliation with the Democratic masses in Boston seemed to the remnant of blue-bloods entirely inconsistent with his aristocratic ancestry. He proved to be a good deal of a spellsman, too. As Assistant Secretary of State in Mr. Cleveland's second Cabinet he was vigorously denounced for 'looting the consulates,' and his retirement became an administrative necessity.

"After this he was elected Mayor and many old line Republicans voted for him out of respect for the family name.

"As soon as the third Mayor Josiah was installed he began planning for the family monument. It is finished now and his name is engraved in large letters on a granite tablet at the entrance of the great South Station, the largest in the country. The roof area is nearly thirteen acres, and its cost was about $14,000,000. Mr. Quincy pledged the city's financial support to the project to a considerable extent and in this way was able to bring the railroads together in an agreement to spend millions in the improvement.

"But when the third Josiah went out of office he not only had no heir, but was not even married. He shunned society, and was thought to have such an aversion to the companionship of women that everyone believed the third Mayor Josiah would be the last. It was a tremendous surprise then when word came from London that the third Mayor Josiah had been quietly married there to a Boston widow, Mrs. Tyler, sister of Frans Hugo Krebs, a Republican politician. The family was entirely without social standing, in the fashionable sense. That was about four years ago. Mrs. Quincy has been very little in Boston since, and the third Mayor Josiah has been much in London. The fourth Josiah was born to them about a year ago, and at last accounts he was a youth of much physical, if not political, promise. Mr. Quincy's many friends will lament with him over the death of his wife, but there must be consolation for him in the fact that he has an heir, the fourth Josiah Quincy."

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STRIKE IS A FAILURE.

Barbers Walk out and Their Places Soon Filled.

Union Tries to Stab Cooksey in the Back.

He Stands Pat on His "Open Shop" Proposition.

Labor-unionism showed its hand yesterday and gave another demonstration of the injustice which characterizes its methods when the Barbers' Union ordered a strike in the Mirror Barber Shop, No. 162 West Second street, because that shop's financial backer and owner is J. E. Cooksey, proprietor of the Cooksey Shop, Nos. 223-225 West Fourth street. This is part of a plan, the existence of which was admitted to Mr. Cooksey by a union member at the Wednesday-night meeting, on the part of the gang to either force Cooksey to unionize his shops or drive him out of business. The union member distinctly stated that the union had singled out Cooksey and would make its fight on him, the idea being to make an "example" of him. Disgust at such methods prompted the union man to disclose the plan to his employer in the presence of other employés.

Yesterday's strike came as the result of Cooksey's action in declaring an "open shop" in his Fourth-street union. Because Cooksey would not display the union button in his shop, Walking Delegate Dave Cullen threatened to make all sorts of trouble for him. This aroused Cooksey's anger and he determined to hereafter conduct his business himself, just as he chooses. He therefore told his men he would hereafter employ good workmen, no matter whether they are union or non-union.

Yesterday officials of the Barbers' Union told Cooksey that if he did not withdraw from his position and place the union totem on his walls, a general strike would be called at the Mirror shop on West Second street. Cooksey told them he would not in any degree change his attitude, and proposed to run his own business.

"I don't see how you can take the card out of the West Second-street shop," said Cooksey. "That is a strictly union shop, every barber is a union man, and the union card is on the walls."

"That doesn't make any difference," replied the representatives of the totem, "you've got to put up this card in the Cooksey shop or we'll take every man away from the Second-street place."

"You can go right ahead and do as you d—n please," retorted Cooksey.

MEN WALK OUT.

Eight men are employed in the Second-street shop, seven and a foreman. The foreman was formerly a union man, but because he had the power to employ and discharge, was obliged to get out. Yesterday morning every man was ordered out by the union, and left their chairs, except Foreman Ed Walker. He stayed by the ship and attended to his customers alone until about 10 o'clock, when Cooksey began to send workmen to him, and in a short time the places of the seven who had quit were filled and the shop was operating as if nothing had happened.

The West Second-street shop was in no way involved in the controversy between the Cooksey Barber Shop and the union as the former was strictly union. Nevertheless, striking at the man rather than at the shop, and seeking to injure a business which was entirely outside of the main issue, labor-unionism aimed its blow at the Second-street shop and signally failed in its attempt.

PLACES ALL FILLED.

When the Cooksey Shop on West Fourth street opened for business yesterday morning one barber did not take off his coat and resigned his place. About an hour later another quit, and finally a third stopped work. That ended the defections, and with the exception of the three mentioned every man was at his post when the shop closed last night. The shop's business was not in the least affected by the removals, as other barbers were soon employed.

As a result of the strike in the Mirror Shop, and of Cooksey's repeated refusal to be dictated to by walking delegates and agitators, a general strike may be called today in the Cooksey shop on Fourth street.

Unionism will undoubtedly attempt to close the shop, but this will be utterly futile, as Cooksey has plenty of men at his disposal and is receiving warm support from other barbers who are "loaning" him workmen until he can reorganize his force and get men who he knows will be permanent. Three men were thus "loaned" to him yesterday, and he can get others in this way today if he needs them.

Should a strike be called in the Cooksey shop it will be up to the men to defy the union and stand by Cooksey or leave the shop. Wednesday night they all said they would stand by Cooksey, and in all probability a majority of them will do so. But Cooksey is not at all alarmed. Barbers will arrive tomorrow or next day from San Francisco, and these, with the men he can secure here and whose applications for work Cooksey now has in his pocket, will fully supply the needs of the two shops.

STRICTLY NON-UNION.

The West Second-street shop is now strictly non-union and will probably remain so. The same conditions may prevail in the Cooksey shop if further effort is made by the union to cripple his business.

Cooksey does not intend to discriminate against union men, no matter what the outcome of the present difficulty may be. He says he wants good workmen and it makes no difference to him whether they are union members or not so long as they are capable and attend to business.

Instead of weakening Cooksey's determination to maintain an "open shop" the action of the union yesterday only strengthened him in his purpose to cut loose from the influence of totem-brand unionism and run a fair shop, giving work to independent men at good wages. He does not fear any labor organization, knowing they are impotent to do him any permanent injury, and knowing also that his attitude is applauded by fair-minded citizens.

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WHO'S TO BOSS BAD YOUTHS?

SHERIFF OR THE JUVENILE COURT LADIES?

New Detention Home for Juvenile Court Candidates Will be Opened Today in the Old County Jail—Peculiar Question Bobs up.

It will require an official of delicate tact and finesse today to decide between the ladies of the Juvenile Court Committee and the Sheriff as to who is to be boss of the new detention home which is to be opened formally today in the old County Jail building.

The ladies have raised the money to install it and have planned the home; the Sheriff has custody of all prisoners, however.

The ladies have placed their probation officer, Mr. Dodds, in charge of the home; two Deputy Sheriffs are to guard the prisoners in it for the Sheriff.

The guards are responsible to the Sheriff; the head of the institution is not.

Who is boss—ladies or Sheriff?

Judge Wilbur has to straighten this business out this morning when the Juvenile Court Committee meets.

It should not be understood that there is a row on. The ladies of the committee say they never have thought about the distribution of authority. Curious complication, however.

The work this committee has done is a tribute to womankind. Experienced officers of the courts and shrewd business men have expressed their astonishment at the executive ability displayed and the wonderful grasp of the peculiar requirements of the juvenile criminal as well as the peculiar difficulties in dealing with him.

In a few short months these women have taken this newly-created court which the judges were free to confess they didn't know how to work, and made of it a splendid, practical, working institution.

They have also gone deeper into the science of criminology than most of the judges.

Their work is one that will, in the opinion of those familiar with the terrible criminal conditions of this country, be vital to the future police work; they are doctoring at the root.

Much of the executive planning of this really tremendous scheme has been done by Mrs. J. P. Sartori, who could run a battleship. The financiering has been largely engineered by Mrs. W. J. Washburn and Mrs. Nora McCarthy.

The most interesting woman of the committee perhaps is Miss Evelyn Stoddard. She is to Los Angeles what Jane Adams is to Chicago.

She is a college girl and graduated from the University of California with one of the highest records ever made at that institution. Since then she has devoted her life to college-settlement work. She knows the under side of things.

All a policeman knows about crime is to hear someone has done something bad and find him. There are a woefully scarce few who understand the deeper side.

Her quick knowledge of the unfortunate families who contribute most of the candidates for the Juvenile Court and their home life has been of inestimable value to the work.

In one regard, the new detention home is not all that she planned for. It is comfortable and convenient, but all the boys are grouped together in one ward in ten little iron beds, the girls in another ward together.

Miss Stoddard has an interesting theory that one of the greatest evils of home life in the slums is lack of privacy.

Without carrying the idea out, it is plain to see her idea how the continual sense of being with other people destroys personal responsibility, not to mention taking away a certain fastidiousness necessary to responsibility. This idea has nothing to do with personal modesty; far from it.

It is akin to that feeling of which sailors of some degree of refinement speak.

At the end of a long cruise, a deep-water sailor who chanced into Los Angeles was asked what he most longed for at sea. He said to be alone.

TAUGHT HIM BETTER.

Because of Cholseer Case Young Hoodlum Defies Police, Kicks Officer and is Promptly Subdued.

What the persecution of the police in connection with the Cholseer case has done in encouraging bruisers and toughs to resist legal authority, was shown this morning in a bloody fight in a saloon at Jackson and Wilmington streets. Joe Johnson became enraged at a barkeeper named Fred Backmann and knocked him down and out with a chair. The police were summoned and Patrolmen Maranville and Kristovich responded.

Johnson began abusing them, saying the police were afraid to do anything because the Cholseer case has turned the people against them. He dared them to take him out of the saloon and finally struck at one of the officers. Then they handcuffed him but he began kicking and biting Maranville during the operation and would have seriously injured him had he not been promptly "subdued." On the way to jail he shouted his curses and foolishly dared the officers to shoot him, but offered no further resistance.

RAILROAD NOTES.

N. H. Foster, formerly connected with the Southern Pacific in San Francisco, has been appointed purchasing agent of the Salt Lake Railroad Company and will make his home and business headquarters in this city.

F. J. Shephard, general superintendent of the Santa Fé Coast lines has gone to San Francisco on a week's visit.

G. J. Bradley, general agent of the Southern Railway Company at San Francisco is spending a few days in Los Angeles.

E. W. Gillett, general freight and passenger agent of the Salt Lake line, has gone back to Salt Lake.

Gervais Purcell, chief engineer of the Bakersfield and Ventura Railway Co., said yesterday afternoon: "I was instructed to stop the work on the Ventura-Bakersfield electric line, but beyond that I know nothing. I can not say when the work will be taken up again or why it was stopped. Eben Smith, the president of the company and H. M. Russell, the vice-president are in New York City and it is certain that nothing will be done

UNIQUE MISSIONARY SHOW FOR WORLD.

THE coming of the world's conference of Methodists to Los Angeles next May has brought forth a unique idea which the Woman's Home Missionary Society of this Coast will put into execution. It is a plan to show the Methodists from all corners of the globe the extent of the missionary work done in the Southwest, and the great field for these efforts here.

The home missionary women will rear a large temporary building on a vacant lot located near Hazard's Pavilion, and will fit it up with headquarters for home missionary workers who may be here to attend the conferences. There will be a comfortable rest room, and beyond this will be departments representing the various nationalities with whom the missionary workers are laboring right here on the Pacific Coast.

A section will be given over to the Indians, and real Indians will be there in costume to tell of the work done for them; then there will be a Chinese section, with the ever-charming Celestial juveniles, togged out in their gorgeous pinks and blues, yellows and scarlets, with wooden shoes and bespangled foreheads, but mission children who will show what the home missionary work is accomplishing among them. The Japanese will have a section, and dainty Jap girls in native dress will serve tea to the visitors as they tell of the Japanese mission work; there will be a fine display of work among the Mexicans, and this will present one of the most picturesque features of the establishment, as curios of the sister republic and of the Mexican settlements in our own land will be given much prominence.

The various schools, orphanages, etc., under the care of the Home Missionary Society will each have a section in which to show their work and progress; and it is expected the building will be the headquarters for missionaries noted in the work.

It is believed the Pacific Coast presents opportunities for a gathering of this character not to be found elsewhere, and this novel plan will give a practical illustration of the extent of the home missionary work. The affair will be under the management of the Southern California Conference Home Missionary Society.

SAN DIEGO.

BUILDING MAY BE STOPPED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 21.—The possibility of building operations being held up, with the accompanying condition of men out of work, is indicated in difficulties which have arisen between the master plumbers of the city and the master carpenters, and the situation seems to be a deadlock at present. The trouble between the two factions is in regard to contracts. The carpenters have insisted that in building operations they shall have the entire contracts and that plumbing work shall be done by sub-contract, the reason being, they say, that they are usually held responsible for the building in its entirety, and for that reason they wish to be in a position to have some say in the work being done on a job all the way through. The master plumbers threaten to open up a plumbing establishment of their own.

MINING DEAL.

A suit filed in the Superior Court today discloses a mining deal made two years ago, in which the Socorro placer mines in Lower California were sold by Harry Johnson and U. S. Waldrip of San Antonio Mar, Lower California, for $125,000. The purchaser was Dion Geraldine of Chicago. A. M. Kitchen, plaintiff in the suit, seeks to recover $19,000 of the $20,000 which he was to receive from Johnson and Waldrip for making the sale.

CORONADO BEACH.

A GOLF TOURNAMENT.

HOTEL DE LCORONADO, Jan. 21.—Miss Sanders won the ladies' golf tournament yesterday with a net score of 76. The next best score was made by Mrs. Hurbut Munn. Among the other players were Mrs. A. B. Daniels, Mrs. John Markle, Mrs. W. N. Mann, Mrs. Jarecki, Miss Francis Carroll, Miss Bach and Miss O'Connor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Grosbeck of San Francisco arrived at the hotel last evening. They were married a few days ago. After a short time in this country the couple will return to England. The bride is a member of a well-known Boston family.

James Hays is at Coronado with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Babcock and maid arrived yesterday from San Francisco. They are accompanied by Miss Dorothy Gidding of Baltimore.

The arrivals yesterday included Mrs. F. B. Noyes, Mrs. Lucy A. Hancox, Stonington, Ct.; Mr. and Mrs. John J. Johnson, Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Serrall, New York; Alex Zelenka, Los Angeles; J. G. Remis, Kansas City; F. M. French, San Francisco.

WATER IN ARIZONA.

Southern Pacific Strikes Artesian Flow at Benson in Cochise County.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Jan. 20.—Superintendent T. R. Jones and Resident Engineer C. K. Clarke returned yesterday from a short run west with Manager James Agier on his special. Mr. Jones was unable to say anything definite in regard to a new depot. He said the water problem in Arizona is one that most concerns the management of his road at present. Recently at 300 feet artesian water was struck at Benson, where a tank of 250,000 gallon capacity is to be filled. In the Dragoon Mountains and other points efforts are being made to secure better water. On the Nogales branch less difficulty is experienced in this line.

NOGALES BANK FAILURE.

A notice has been posted on the doors of the International Bank of Nogales announcing that the opening has been postponed until January 25. Further attachments have been filed against the bank by A. Sandoval and the Banco Minero, each in the sum of $20,000. This sum with the attachment by the county would aggregate $80,000.

It is said R. Allyn Lewis, vice-president of the bank, has transferred his Phoenix property to his wife. It is also said that the bank loaned large sums of money and much of the paper has been hypothecated by the bank. Many lawsuits will probably result from the failure.

Postmaster J. Knox Corbett has resigned the office of vice-president of the Mutual Mercantile Company.

The sale of stamps for the month of December at the local postoffice was $800 in excess of that during the same month in 1902.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

New Choir.

The reëstablished Church of Christ will have a choir of well-known singers, the membership having been decided upon yesterday at a meeting of the church board. Mrs. C. E. Dutcher will be the soprano; Miss Beresford Joy is the contralto; Spencer Robinson is the tenor, and Henry Lott the baritone. Robinson and Lott are both newcomers. The latter, indeed, is yet unheard in Los Angeles and is to make his first appearance at an invitation concert to be given in Blanchard Hall this evening. Robinson is another new arrival, said to bring with him a reputation for effective work. Miss Blanche Rogers is the organist, and will merely return to the old position she held before Dr. Thompson left. Dr. W. E. Waddell is chairman of the music committee.

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Tonight's Events.

Two concerts are scheduled for this evening—one of especial interest being given by the First Congregational orchestra, under the direction of Conductor William H. Mead. This amateur body of players ranks as high as any of its class in Southern California, and the painstaking work of its director has brought it to a state of efficiency which makes it the especial pride of the non-professional field in Los Angeles. Tonight's programme is the first of a "popular" series, and will be given at Temple Baptist Church. The soloists are J. B. Poulin, tenor; Roy B. Sumner, cornet; J. Ira Moyse, trombone, and Miss Aileen Northrup. The programme to be given follows: March, "Wedding Procession" (Rubinstein;) overture, "Massaniello" (Auber;) song, "Adelaide" (Beethoven,) Mr. Poulin and orchestra; "Dance of the Bayadères," from "Feramors" (Rubinstein;) "Miserere," from "Il Trovatore" (Verdi,) duet for cornet and trombone; favorite movements from "Dinorah" (Meyerbeer;) selected songs, Mr. Poulin; Intermezzo, "Cupid's Pleadings" (Voelker;) gavotte, "L'Ingenue" (Arditi;) "Pilgrims' Chorus," from "Tannhauser" (Wagner.)

Harry Clifford Lott, a new baritone, will give an invitation recital at Blanchard Hall this evening. He has an extended programme of varied numbers, which should show conclusively his talents and special adaptabilities.

Mr. Schurz on True Chivalry.

It would be hard to improve upon Carl Schurz's definition of true chivalry in McClure's magazine for January:

"To the lofty people who, for fear of compromising their own dignity, scorn to address a colored man as Mr. or a colored woman as Mrs. or Miss, they would give something to think over by reminding them of the stateliest gentleman ever produced by America, a man universally reverenced, a Virginian, who, when a negress, and a slave, too, had dedicated to him some complimentary verses, wrote her an elaborate and gravely polite letter of thanks, addressing her as 'Miss Phyllis' and subscribing himself 'with great respect, your obedient humble servant, George Washington.'

"They will appeal to southern chivalry, a sentiment which does not consist merely in the impulse to rush with knightly ardor to the rescue of well-born ladies in distress, but rather in a constant readiness to embrace the cause of right and justice in behalf of the lowliest as well as the highest, in defense of the weak against the strong, and this all the more willingly as the lowliest stand most in need of knightly help; and as in the service of justice the spirit of chivalry will shine all the more brightly, the harder the task and the more unselfish the effort."

By "they" Mr. Schurz means the "enlightened and high-minded men and women" of the South, which, happily, has never lacked for people of true chivalry. Mr. Schurz does not worry about the negress claiming any social equality, which the foremost and best representative, Booker Washington, dismisses as unworthy of attention by black or white.—[Boston Pilot.

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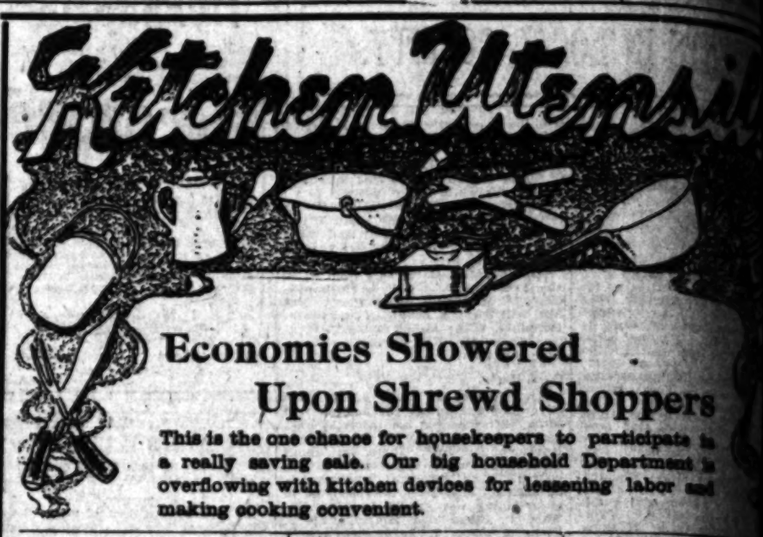

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GAME REFUGE SITES CHOSEN.

SPORTSMEN AT SANTA BARBARA TAKE ACTION.

Committee Selects Breeding Grounds Which, If Approved by Forest Supervisors, Will be Recommended to Department of the Interior—Offering of Elk.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Breeding grounds for game are proposed for the Pine Mountain and Zaca Lake forest reserve. A meeting of Santa Barbara and Ventura county representatives interested in game protection was held here today.

A committee was appointed to recommend to the Department of the Interior what tracts should be set aside as refuges. The committee, composed of A. P. Redington and R. C. Rogers, of Santa Barbara; G. K. Johnston, of Lompoc; W. H. Granger, of Ventura, and Benjamin Virden, of Oxnard, located a tract in this county covering about three townships and a slighly smaller section in Ventura county. The recommendation of the committee will be forwarded to the department, after having been submitted to Forest Supervisors Stanton and Crawshaw for approval, and it is probable that the authorities will accept the committee's suggestions.

The California Game Protective Association has been offered a large number of elk, and as soon as proper breeding grounds are established, these will be turned loose.

H. T. Payne, president of the California Fish and Game Protective Association, acted as chairman at today's meeting.

VERDICT AGAINST RAILWAY.

After being out for nearly four hours, the jury in the damage suit brought by Mrs. Clemence Kline, of San Francisco, against the Santa Barbara Consolidated Railway Company, awarded the plaintiff $8000, damages for injuries received while riding on a trolley car last July. The railway company is a part of the local electric system and is controlled by the Edison Electric Company of Los Angeles. The decision of the jury was somewhat of a compromise as two of the jurors stood for no damages, while the remaining ten were in favor of the full amount asked for, $10,000. It is understood that the case will be appealed, and the defendant was granted a stay of execution of fifteen days.

Mrs. Kline met with the accident last July while riding on the outside of a car. On account of a steep hill and a greasy track the motorman was not able to slow up for a sharp curve, and Mrs. Kline was thrown violently from her seat sustaining a fracture of the hip.

DIES TRYING TO SAVE SON.

FATHER'S VAIN EFFORT TO RESCUE HIS CHILD.

Story of the San Bernardino Horror—Big Mining Deal in Progress. Plans for State Hospital—Ivanpah Smelting Company Case on Trial.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 21.—The fire horror of last night, which is believed to have been of incendiary origin, has shocked the entire community. The facts brought out at the Coroner's inquest in the remains of Ansensio Valdanado and his 4-year-old child, Encasio, show that the former died bravely trying to save the boy. The aged mother of the dead man testified that the occupants of the house were asleep when she was aroused by the odor of smoke. Opening her eyes she saw the flames bursting through the floor and the entire under part of the house in flames.

She aroused the family and grabbing a child, started for the door followed by Mrs. Valdanado, who had seized two children and reached the door which was bolted and in the panic none of them appeared to know how to throw the bolts. Two relatives, Carpio Anallia and Francisco Pena, who roomed in the house, battered down a window and escaped. By that time Valdanado had broken in the door and all fled, supposing no one remained in the house.

They stood some distance away watching the destruction of their house, when the mother's quick ears caught the agonized screams of her 4-four-old boy. At the same moment her husband heard the child, and he instantly plunged through the doorway to inevitable death, as the interior was a mass of flames. His body swayed back and forth as he groped through the smoke and flame. Then he stumbled, falling prostrate on his face. His wife would have followed, but friends caught her before she had crossed the threshhold.

When the fire department arrived the flames had made short work of the frail structure, and the man's charred remains were found within two feet of the bed on which lay the blackened body of his child.

BERDOO NEWSLETS.

John S. Bates of West Highland this morning commenced action against H. B. Lane to enjoin him from permitting irrigating water to flow from his premises upon the plaintiff's land. Bates also asks damages in the sum of $300.

Plans are being drawn for the main building at the Southern California State Hospital, for which the last Legislature made an appropriation of $110,000. The plans will be submitted February 19.

Negotiations for the purchase by Salt Lake capitalists of the Queen of the Night and St. George group of mines in the Searchlight district are now under way, with every prospect of success. The mines are largely owned by the A. G. Campbell estate and yesterday the heirs, who reside at Riverside, sent William Stanley to the mines to confer with the capitalists. The sum involved is reported to be $500,000.

John Smithson, the police officer who was recently acquitted of a charge of manslaughter after a sensational trial here, has resigned from the force to take a position as special police agent for the Santa Fé between Winslow and Seligman.

The suits of V. A. Ritchie and George Reed against the Ivanpah Smelting Company to quiet title to property owned by the company in the Clark mining district is on trial in the Superior Court. The company claims the property under prior location and expenditure of vast sums of money for its development, and the plaintiffs, defendants, base their claim upon having made the only legal location of the property, alleging that the location made in 1896 by the Ivanpah Smelting Company is void.

MAY PERISH IN THE MOUNTAINS.

VENTURA MAN LOST IN DEEP SNOW IN WILD COUNTRY.

Goes Hunting and Fails to Return to Camp—Searching Parties Organized, but Small Hope that He Will be Found Alive.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Jan. 21.—Harry Radford, 27 years of age, is missing in the mountains near Seepe Hot Springs. He is not familiar with the hills, and it is feared he will not be found alive. Benjamin and Robert Craig organized a searching party and left Fillmore this morning for the mountains. Sespe Springs are fifty miles from Ventura, and located in a valley between high mountains now covered with snow.

Radford and Barney Mowery left here ten days ago for the springs, which are owned by H. C. Radford and Ben Craig. Young Radford expected to remain several months building a road. Mowery was out on a vacation trip. They had arms and abundance of ammunition, as the country abounds with game. Mowery came into Fillmore last night and telephoned to Ben Craig, announcing that Radford is missing.

Monday he went hunting alone and never returned to camp. Mowery searched all day Tuesday, but could find no trace of the lost man. The searching party will arrive at the springs tonight. Deputy Sheriff Russel came over the trail last Friday, but saw no one except Mowery returning to camp from Fillmore.

The region in which young Radford is lost is in the high mountains in the north end of the county and is some fifty miles from here. The only way to get in is by horses and pack animals, the trail being a rough and long one. Young Radford is said to have been unaccustomed to mountaineering, and the fear is that he has fallen while hunting and that a discharge of his gun may have disabled him so that he could not travel. If such is the case it is feared that exposure to the cold nights in the mountains might be serious. Another theory is that he has become lost in some of the mountain passes, which are rough and rugged, and in his confusion tired himself out while trying again to get on the right trail for his camp. It has been reported that Earnest Franklin of this city was also in that section, and it may be that he and Radford are together at some other camp in the mountains and may turn up all right.

PEANUTS BECOMING A LUXURY.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Peanuts are becoming a luxury. Cotton has been soaring so high in the last four months that southern peanut farmers have begun its cultivation. Confectioners and bakers of this city, who use peanuts extensively, report that they now find it hard to obtain enough to meet requirements, with prices advancing rapidly.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ANGELUS—Herman J. Dieel, Syracuse; E. L. Harkness, Minneapolis; William E. Keith, San Jose; A. H. Smith, Denver; Miss Wolfe, Miss Blade, Chicago; Fred E. Pettit and wife, Peabody, Kan.; A. Matty, P. Matty, San Jose; M. Sandford, Tucson; William J. Gorham, S. Burger, San Francisco; E. H. Richmond, New York; Isidore Mosshfelder, Cincinnati; C. S. Champlin, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Crisp, Vancouver, B. C.; G. and W. Schwarzburger, Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Pinch, San Francisco; L. A. Sanfield, W. I. Reid, New York; C. S. McKay and wife, Meridge, Manitoba; L. E. Bush, M.D., Salt Lake; P. Sarrazet and wife, S. R. Fauson, San Jose; Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Easton, George W. Lyle, New York; W. S. Gray, San Francisco; S. P. Bradley, C. B. Walters, New York.

VAN NUYS—Hugo R. Johnston, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Myers, Springfield, Ill.; Alvin C. Spindler, Pittsburgh, Pa.; E. L. Norton, New York; Mrs. Grundy, Jersey City, N. J.; William E. Kelley, Chicago; Mrs. Kelley, R. B. Canfield, Santa Barbara; S. D. Houghtelin, Fairbury, Neb.; R. B. Daggett, San Francisco; Wadsworth Harris, Mrs. R. L. Clemens, Miss Vanoh, New York; Louis James and wife, Miss Alma Krugh, New York; Fredrick Wards, Yuma, Ariz.; Miss May Wards, New York; Mrs. R. A. Walls, Kansas City, Mo.; Stephens, Berkeley; W. R. Canfield, La Fayette, Ind.; Miss Mae Stuart, New York; E. J. Sullivan, Portland, Me.; E. E. Hendrick, E. M. Smith, Carbondale, Pa.

WESTMINSTER—C. Cosgrove, Minneapolis; W. W. Benedict, S. A. Bishop, San Francisco; F. F. Rogers, Denver; C. B. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson, Minneapolis; Mrs. C. H. Morehouse, Fort Dodge, Ia.; F. J. Henrys, Denver; A. L. Cosgrove, Boston; A. W. Brown, Mrs. A. W. Brown, San Francisco; J. L. Bangs, New Jersey; R. Wyrrill, Mrs. Wyrrill, Manchester, N. H.; J. H. McCreary, Kansas City; E. J. Lowis, Mrs. Lewis, Chicago; Y. R. Barton, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; W. Adams, Mrs. W. Adams, S. M. Adams, Ohio; F. M. French, San Francisco; R. B. Cyler, P. Cholist, Oakland; C. S. Osborne, Seattle.

HOLLENBECK—F. E. Stewart, Mrs. F. E. Marshall, J. F. Cutler, A. W. Whalley, E. K. Brick, R. F. Armstrong, Mrs. J. F. Turner, R. Dewar, R. C. Stroufe, G. J. Bradley, C. L. Hill, L. Geringer, C. E. Ingram, J. F. Guman, O. Soldenath, Mrs. G. E. Leighter, Miss Berger, George C. Rost, M. Levy, O. A. Scheiller, A. Glass, John Millsner, Mrs. L. C. Griffith, C. H. Fallon and wife, J. C. Hopper, W. G. Gray, F. M. Applegate, W. H. Cameron, San Francisco; R. A. McNally, F. H. Lincoln, O. Kirschell and wife, F. G. Moss, K. Taylor, H. C. Wright, George Taylor, George S. Mohr, C. F. Bunker, R. J. Kleckner, C. L. Shaw, Chicago; J. S. King, S. H. Ritter, C. J. Hildersheimer, A. W. Bonner, F. D. Batleville, R. H. Gallagher, New York; R. Russell, J. R. Briggs, Philadelphia; E. West, C. R. Hohsman, St. Louis; C. B. Waters, J. Wallace, Pasadena; E. L. Page, A. Phillips, San Diego; J. E. Hunt, Miss Olson, Minneapolis; Herbert George, William Condingly and wife, Denver; Mrs. Chipman, Miss Chipman, Sweet Springs; Dr. E. H. Jordon, Dr. E. A. Cullough, U. S. Army; W. E. Latta, H. P. Hoake, T. R. Jones, C. W. Newman, H. Fleck, Mrs. Russell and wife, Mrs. Agnes E. G. McMechen, Toledo; F. P. Stone and wife, Boston; H. C. Bull and wife, M. K. Edwards, Cokato, Minn.; A. D. Dougherty, Logan, Ia.; J. Turner, Roanoke; L. B. Turner, Elkton; C. E. Allen, Lincoln; J. W. Jameson, Tehachapi; George Lewis, Madison, Wis.; F. H. Howland and wife, Toronto; B. B. Dawson, Montana; G. W. Well, Buffalo; W. J. Meyer, Hannibal; Henry Orme and wife, St. Paul; J. Bean, San Jose.

MADEAU—J. W. Schuette, Herman Schuette, James H. Jones, M. A. Mendelson, Nate Mayer, Douglas White, F. Sims, M. H. Long, A. J. Steinman, A. C. Abbott, Mrs. M. E. Abbott, Mrs. W. H. Chesterworth, W. W. Greenwood, M. F. Murray, D. B. Murphy, San Francisco; Amos A. Doyle, Tom Williams, San Diego; N. L. Denning, Chicago; G. Rothie, Sacramento; L. O. McKain, Needles; Mrs. M. Shotwell, Seattle; Mrs. E. R. Herberger, Bakersfield; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Elwell, J. M. Kaiser, Ventura; E. J. Harris, San Jose; M. E. Rice, Oakland; F. F. Munroe, Merced; R. J. Hunt, Spokane; A. F. Long, St. Louis; H. E. Deardoff, Salt Lake; Mrs. T. P. Cartwright, Dennel; Frank C. Hill, R. L. McMakin, Cananeo; Fred Grundry, William Grundry, Salt Lake; Mrs. Mary Meyers, New York; E. N. Porterfield, Kearney, Neb.

NATICK—J. R. Martin, San Francisco; E. B. Atkinson, Parker, Ariz.; George Carty, Atkinson; A. D. James and wife, Ohio; John Adason and wife, San Francisco; Harry Noach, Gallup, N. M.; J. E. Colman, Lincoln; W. P. Jernegin, Pennsylvania; C. H. Byers, Kansas City; D. R. Bean, Piru, Ill.; N. D. Chamberlain, San Francisco; J. Seward and family, Chester; J. W. Phillips, Missouri; M. J. Morgan, Mrs. C. Dugan, R. J. Keller, San Francisco; J. Tontellot, Weaverville; C. O. Nichols, San Diego; E. Moebacher, J. Moebacher, San Francisco; C. M. Wiley, A. C. Jacobson, Ashland, Or.; J. P. Watson, San Francisco; Henry Ward, Manvel; J. C. Stuart, Napa Junction; H. E. Dennison, San Francisco; Mrs. L. M. Hodgeman, C. M. Bell and wife, Simi; Ida Neef, Waterloo; Charles Wills, Kansas City; William Doran, Winslow.

AFTER SICKNESS.

HOW TO REGAIN STRENGTH

The Owl Drug Company Give Some Suggestions—We Vouch for Their Sincerity.

During the past few months there has been a great deal of sickness of one kind and another in Los Angeles, largely induced by the recent unseasonable weather.

In speaking of this to a member of The Owl Drug Co., our leading druggists, the other day, he said: "Yes, there has been, and is, a lot of sickness in the city, and while most people get over the acute stage rather quickly, it leaves the blood impoverished, and it is hard to regain lost vitality. The patient's strength is depleted, the system generally demoralized and relapses are continually feared.

"The one thing to aid recovery is to give the patient a blood building and strength restoring tonic, one that will give strength to every organ in the body.

"Now truthfully we don't believe there is another remedy in the country equal to our delicious cod liver oil preparation, Vinol, for making rich, red blood, and building up strength. We say this from an intimate knowledge of almost every medicine on the market, and after duly considering what Vinol is, and has done.

"Vinol contains every one of the bodybuilding medicinal elements of cod liver oil, without one drop of oil to retard its work and this with organic iron, which is a needful constituent for the blood, dissolved in a delicious table wine, makes Vinol. It acts directly on the stomach, creates a healthy appetite, and enables the digestive organs to obtain the necessary elements to make rich, red blood, healthy flesh and muscle tissue, and create strength, and you know what you are taking."

Such letters as this prove the value of Vinol after sickness:

Mr. Edgar A. Howe of Concord, N. H., writes that after being confined to his bed for thirteen weeks with the grippe he was weak and emaciated, all tonics seemed of no avail, but Vinol restored, in a marvellous manner, his strength, flesh and appetite.

Mrs. C. H. Wardwell of Lynn, Mass., writes that the measles left her little daughter with a cough and in a very bad condition, but Vinol cured the cough and made her well.

Mr. John Emerson of Bangor, Me., writes that after grippe, at seventy years of age, Vinol built up his strength and gave him new life.

Mr. James Stuart of Pittsburg, Pa., writes that after a severe fever he was weak and emaciated, but Vinol built him up, made him strong and well.

We might go on quoting from hundreds of such letters. You see no one need take our word for what Vinol will do, and it is because of such proof that we solemnly agree that if it does no good where it is recommended that it shall not cost a penny. That's fair, isn't it? The Owl Drug Co., 320 South Spring street.

ON THE WATERFRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, JAN. 21.

Steamer Santa Monica, Capt. Olsen, from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.

Steamer Homer, Capt. Donaldson, from San Francisco.

Schooner William F. Witzman, Capt. Peterson, 19 days from Tacoma.

SAILED—THURSDAY, JAN. 21.

Steamer Samoa, Capt. Madsen, for Redondo.

Schooner Sehome, Capt. Matisen, for Port Townsend, in ballast.

Schooner O. M. Kellogg, Capt. Iverson, for Hoquiam, in ballast.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

THURSDAY, JAN. 21.

Steamer Santa Monica, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Chehalis, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Coquille River, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Francis H. Leggett, S. P., L. A. & S. L. wharf.
Steamer A. Bstriever, S. P. R. R. Co. wharf.
Barkentine Joseph L. Eriston, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Manila, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner King Cyrus, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Barker, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Fearless, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Ludlow, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.
Schooner W. F. Witzman, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Coos Bay, from San Francisco and way ports.
Steamer Melville Dollar, Seattle.
Steamer Homer, from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.
Steamer Lakme, from Eureka.
Steamer W. H. Kruger, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Steamer Santa Barbara, from Seattle.
Steamer Coronado, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Sokomia, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Maria S. Smith, from Port Ludlow.
Schooner Admiral, from Astoria.
Schooner Marion from Aberdeen.
Schooner Meteor, from Winslow.
Schooner Falcon, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Philippine, from Tacoma.
Schooner W. S. Smith, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Bainbridge, from Port Blakeley.
Schooner Muriel, from Tacoma.
Schooner Winslow, from Everett.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Pasadena, Eureka.
Steamer San Pedro, Aberdeen.
Steamer Olympic, Fairhaven.
Steamer Redondo, Eureka.
Bark Haydn Brown, Astoria.
Barkentine C. F. Crocker, Everett.
Barkentine Quickstep, Tacoma.
Barkentine Katie Fletcher, Astoria.
Barkentine John Palmer, Port Gamble.
Steamer Wm. Nottingham, Port Townsend.
Schooner Comet, Aberdeen.
Schooner Mabel Gray, Eureka.
Schooner Lucy, Umpqua River.
Schooner Louise, Umpqua River.
Schooner Argus, Port Townsend.
Schooner Alice McDonald, Tacoma.
Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.
Schooner Annie E. Smale, Astoria.
Schooner Sadie, Umpqua.
Schooner Caroline, Umpqua.
Schooner Columbia, Ballard.
Schooner Bertha Dahlbeer, Eureka.
Schooner Coquille, Coquille River.
Schooner Cecilia Sudden, Gray's Harbor.
Schooner F. S. Redfield, Tacoma.
Schooner Columbia, Ballard.
Schooner Enid avur, Port Townsend.
Schooner Robert Searles, Port Townsend.
Schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Ballard.
Schooner Hertis Minor, Eureka.
Schooner Zampa, Astoria.
Schooner William Renton, Port Townsend.
Schooner Balboa, Winslow.
Schooner W. F. Jewett, Astoria.
Schooner Willis A. Holden, Everett.

TO LEAVE—FRIDAY, JAN. 22.

Steamer Coquille River, Capt. Sanford, for San Francisco.
Lumber-laden Joseph L. Eriston, for Tacoma, in ballast.
Steamer Wire Cyrus, Capt. Johnson, for Tacoma, in ballast.
SATURDAY, Jan. 23—Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports; steamer Chehalis, Capt. Martin, for San Francisco.
WEDNESDAY, Jan. 27—Steamer Francis H. Leggett, Capt. Ranter, for San Francisco.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, JAN. 21.

Launch Fashion, from Long Beach, with pleasure party.
Launch Pronto, Capt. Dorn, for Catalina Island.

SAILED.

Sloop Osprey, Capt. Lee, for Santa Barbara Island.
Schooner Rose, Capt. Sjoberg, for Catalina Island.
Launch Bell, Capt. Evich, for Laguna.
Sloop Alpha, for Laguna.
Launch Vittoria, Capt. Falconi, for Laguna.
Launch Fashion, for Long Beach.
Nine sailboats for fishing banks, and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Friday,	Jan. 22	6:34 a.m.	1:04 a.m.
		11:18 p.m.	7:37 p.m.
Saturday,	" 23	7:36 a.m.	2:02 a.m.
		11:53 a.m.	8:21 p.m.
Sunday,	" 24	8:37 a.m.	3:02 a.m.
		12:26 p.m.	7:13 p.m.
Monday,	" 25	2:43 a.m.	8:36 a.m.
		1:28 p.m.	8:15 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 26	4:34 a.m.	10:23 a.m.
		4:14 p.m.	9:27 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 27	4:48 a.m.	11:44 a.m.
		5:48 p.m.	10:28 p.m.
Thursday,	" 28	5:46 a.m.	0:41 p.m.
		6:50 p.m.	11:44 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 14 miles.

The passenger and freight steamer Coos Bay sailed yesterday from San Francisco for San Pedro and way ports with a full cargo of merchandise consigned to the Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

D. Jacobs has been succeeded in command of the steamer Greenwood by H. Thompson.

The schooner William F. Whitman arrived from Tacoma with 560,000 feet of lumber consigned to the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Mill and Lumber Company.

The steamer Samoa finished discharging that portion of her cargo for this port, and cleared for Redondo, where she will discharge the remainder.

The schooners Sehome and O. M. Kellogg sailed today in ballast. The former went to Port Townsend for a cargo, and the latter to Hoquiam to load a lumber cargo.

The steamer Santa Monica arrived today from Gray's Harbor with a full cargo of lumber consigned to local wholesalers.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

THURSDAY, Jan. 21, 1904.

Mary A Grimes to A W Boertzler, part lot 8, L A Fruitland Association, $1200.

Conrad Gebring and M E Gebring to Elbert Gardiner, lot 11, Davis & Julien's subdivision, Los Angeles, $500.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Mary Jago, lot 2, block 13, Adams-street Arlington Heights tract, $10.

Otto Rittert to Henry Janssen, lot 7, Blanchard's resubdivision of block 3, Wooden Mill tract, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to J R Parker, lot 3, block 13, South Woodlawn, $10.

Same to same, lot 1, block 12, same tract, $10.

M Belle Parker to Bernard Broterhaus, part lot 22, block 11, Childs tract, $10.

Willis G Hunt, executor of estate of William S Allen, deceased, to William H Chamberlain, lot 21, block 11, Childs tract, $60.

William H Chamberlain to Agnes M Chamberlain to Bernard Broterhous, undivided one-half interest 1 alot 21, block 11, Childs tract, $10.

William Tenbaeff to Charles Mumford, part lot 3, Webster, Pitcher & Martin's subdivision, $250.

Helen L Cherrington (sometimes spelled Cherrington, formerly Helen L Shambaugh) to Mrs Ida Harris and Harry Edson Dillon, lots 21 and 22, block A, Alessandro tract, $10.

Harry E Dillon, Laura B Dillon, Ida Harris and Walter Haris to Kitturia H Osborn, part lot 21, block 2, Alessandro tract, $10.

Same to F H Messmore, lot 22 and part lot 21, block A, same tract, $10.

Kitturia H Osborn and Oliver D Osborn to Harry E Dillon and Mrs Ida Harris, part lot 20, block A, Alessandro tract, $10.

Frank H Messmore and Emma A Messmore to same, part lot 19, block A, same tract, $10.

B O Miller to Greta Winkle, lots 8, 9 and 10, block 32, Huber tract, $10.

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H H Houston to Harriett Elizabeth Allen, lot 5, Houston Heights, $1200.

Hiram A Clarry to Mary F Howe, part lot This Insurance and Trust Company, lots 7, 8 and 9, Hollywood Heights tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Hiram A Clary, reconveyance of trust property.

Martha White, Violet White and Jane White to Charles Sumner rGeene and Alice White Green, part lot 5, Park Place, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to C A Bentley, reconveyance of trust property.

Andrew J Hart and Nancy E Hart to Agnes Thompson, lot 172, Grider & Dow's subdivision of Sriewalter tract, $10.

George H Freeman and Anna A Freeman to Charles Sumner rGeene and Alice White Green, part lot 5, Park Place, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to C A Bentley, reconveyance of trust property.

Andrew J Hart and Nancy E Hart to Agnes Thompson, lot 172, Grider & Dow's subdivision of Sriewalter tract, $10.

George H Freeman and Anna A Freeman to Charles Sumner rGeene and Alice White Green, part lot 5, Park Place, $10.

Susan B Hendrick to H M Smith, part lot 13, block 2, Plater's subdivision of Mesick tract, $10.

Los Angeles Pressed Brick and Terra Cotta Company to Los Angeles Pressed Brick Company, all real property, franchises, right-of-way, easements and other property of every kind in Los Angeles county, of first party, $10.

Los Angeles Pressed Brick Company to Pacific Oil Company, interest and easements in part lot 2, partition of part of Sepulveda Vineyard tract; right-of-way and easements for road to and from Date street, etc; right to lay, maintain, repair and remove railway tracks, or other tracks over, of first party on west, etc; first party grants to second party right-of-way to lay switch from Santa Fe Railway track to tract first described, $10.

C C Pinney to Meribah Paton, lot 7, block 18, Highland View tract, $10.

Mrs Jesus Y de Brunsite and Manuel Brunsite to Albert C Bechrich, lot 5, block F, Washington-street and Pico-street Heights tract, $10.

A N Davidson and Addie M Davidson to Title Insurance and Trust Company, lots 3 and 4, block H, and lots 19 and 20, block J, and part lot 13, block K, Washington-street and Pico-street Heights tract, except part deeded to Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad Company; lots 1 to 16, block 2, W G Nevin tract, $10.

The Rosedale Cemetery Association to Mrs Mary Pierpont, part lot 102, block J, Rosedale Cemetery, $67.

Mrs Mary Pierpont, known as Mrs Mary Pierpont, Rosedale Association part lot section 2, Rosedale Cemetery, $67.

F W Wetrick and Lucia M Wetrick to Thomas L E Holt, lot 198, Goodwin tract, $10.

Estate of Eunice E Lantz, deceased, decree of distribution to Mrs A L L Daniell, its estate, with remainder to Margaret Daniell; lot 3, Seidelhuin tract, with reyer to Jessie L Harris, Charles Lantz or to their children; to Jessie L Harris and Charles Lantz and Mrs A L L Daniell, part lots 1 and 3, block B, Blue tract; to Mrs F W Wetrick, lot 124, Glenwood Heights Improvement Co. tract, $10. block L, Lantz addition to Long Beach; to Mrs Jessie L. Harris, Mrs A L L Daniell and Charles Lantz, all other estate.

William G Bradshaw to Nellie A Bradshaw and Frank A Bradshaw to Mrs Mary Agnes Christina Griffith, lots 6 and 7, block 14, Fairmount tract, $10,000.

Los Angeles-Pacific Boulevard and Development Company to Harrison Gray Otis, lot 8 and part lot 7, resubdivision of block 5, Hollywood Ocean View tract, 320 x 0 ft.

W D Longyear and Ida M Longyear to J W Gilbreth, part section 13, T 1 N 11, and section 18, T 1 N 12, $10.

Mrs E N Andros to John O'Connor and Mary A O'Connor, lot 8, block B, Cherriote tract, $10.

Arthur G Parker to Belle M Parker, lots 8, 9 and 10, Culver tract, gift.

Robert S Smith and Flora M Smith to George H Dray and Sarah H Dray, lot 1, Cranston-avenue Villa tract, $10.

Reginald H Morgan, Jr, to J N Gibeon, lot 8, block 1, Workman Park tract, $10.

First Baptist Church to Mount Olive Baptist Church, lots 27 and 28, Mills & Wicks extension of Second-street and adjoining subdivision, $1500.

M W Feindunter and Madeleine R Feindunter to George F Koehler, lot 38, Holly tract, $100.

Ella T Tarnell and Edith D Tarnell to Mrs F H Plaisridge, lot 24, block 33, subdivision of lot 1, partition of part of Sepulveda Vineyard tract, addition No 1, Los Angeles, $125.

Mary Hust and John Hust to William A Sprague and Selena Sprague, lot 31, block 145, Santa Monica, $1200.

Abbot Kinney, A R Fraser, G M Jones and H R Gage to Hubbard F Barnard, lot 32, block 8, Crescent Bay tract, $21.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Franklin C Latimer, reconveyance of trust property.

Franklin C Latimer and Mary D Latimer to Frank G Schumacher, part lots 1 and 2, block H, Mott tract, $10.

Same to Clara B Hossack, part lot 1, block M, Mott tract, $10.

Frank Burns and Cora M Burns to A H Kirkpatrick, undivided one-half interest in lot 13, Peck's subdivision, block 50, San Pedro, $100.

Eleanor Martin, J Downey Harvey, Peter D Martin, Walter S Martin and Genevieve Martin to E H Corbett, lot 2, block 31, Terminus Homestead tract, East Los Angeles, $750.

Benjamine Franklin Bond and Lowrey Mar Bond to Joseph Gerdine, part lots 4, 5, and 6, E Wight to Bertha Mettler, lot 61, Strong & Dickinson's Maple-avenue tract, $10.

Mabel A Harris to Caleb Moore, lots 49 and 50, Smith Jones tract, $2000.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Cora Burnett, lots 139 and 140, Normandie-avenue tract, $10.

Frank L Short and Loretta L Short to Mrs Mary A Targer, lot 4, Grider & Hamilton's South Park, $450.

John S Mallman to Etta M Kraft, lot 32, block 1, Childs Heights tract, $5.

H Boettcher and Alvine Boettcher to D E Killips, lot 147, Boettcher tract, $650.

Ella Fortney to H E Fortney, all blocks 37 and 38, and part block 81, Maclay Rancho, $100.

Oscar Macy to Philip D Rowan, part block 48, Ord's Survey, $200.

Minerva M Parry to Granville J Piper, part lot 37, Lick tract, $10.

Edward B Dix to Richard Dorn, lot 1, block O, Linda Vista tract, $1000.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Carrie J Reeves, reconveyance of trust property.

William S Yawter and Sarah M Yawter to Annie Elizabeth Randall, lot 7, block 111, Santa Monica, $10.

Isaac Bierbo to and from Laura Burke, agreement to separate; second party grants to first party property not in Los Angeles county; first party grants to second party property in Los Angeles county; said parties unite in abandonment of homestead on above property.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to S A Brown, reconveyance of trust property.

F M Casey and Mary Casey to Kate O'Neill, lot 24, block 2, Obear tract, $10.

H Henry C Wood and Mary A Green to H Henry Wood, lot 182, Green's Central-avenue tract, $10.

Frances M Hazlesse and S M Hazlesse to Elizabeth J Guirado, lot 1, block B, M D Painter's subdivision, Painter & Ball tract, $10.

Parry L Griffin and Zula M Griffin to Joseph Patstrom, lot 20, block V, and lot 12, block T, Gleadora tract, $10.

Arthur Green and Emma L Crane to Mrs Clara Louise Price, lots 4 and 5, Wardell's subdivision Los Angeles, block 9, Monrovia tract, $200.

State Bank and Trust Company, trustee, (formerly State Loan and Trust Company,) to Maude Rice Ibbetson, part section 13, 1 N 11, part section 18, 1 N 12, $10.

R B Ibbetson to Maude Rice Ibbetson, part section 14, 1 N 11, and part section 13, 1 N 12, $10.

Belle P Sidwell and Lester L Sidwell to E S Judson and Chester C Sidwell, part Rancho Paso de Bartolo, $10.

E S Judson, Lester L Sidwell and Chester C Sidwell to Belle P Sidwell, part Rancho Paso de Bartolo; lots 31 to 34, block 34, Rivera, $10.

Belle P Sidwell, E S Judson and Chester C Sidwell to Lester L Sidwell, part Rancho Paso de Bartolo, $10.

Egbert Cowles vs S M Brown, Julia A Ivers, executrix of estate of Oliver A Ivers, deceased; Susan F Brooks et al; decree quieting title to plaintiff to lot 4, block 5, Washington Heights.

Mabel Bailey Rogers, formerly Mabel C Bailey, to Bertha M Willmont, part lot 25, Mineral Park tract, $600.

Eugene G Bean to Edgar V Bell, part lot 17, Culver's Roxbury Park, $10.

Phoebe E Hensley to Charles M Jenkins, lot 12, block L, Childs tract, gift.

Mrs Jessie B Bornton to Seth C Felt, lots 12 and 13, block 54, Lower Beach, $2000.

Hamilton Land Company to Mrs Margaret A Fulwider, lot 7, Hamer's resubdivision block 50, Alamitos Beach, $10.

Mrs M S Hill to Mary H Kennedy, lots 25 and 27, subdivision block 21, Long Beach, Elias Prescott Cutter to Walter H Martin, part lots 1 and 2, block 113, Long Beach.

James G Maris and Anna Maris to Anna Good, part lot 2, block B, resubdivision of Hollywood Heights tract and Alamitos Beach.

Rollin M Dix to Hiram P Epperson and Arimenetta Epperson, lot 22 and part lot 23, block 117, Long Beach, $2750.

Margaret M Fritz to H C Lytle, lot 7, Park Station tract, $250.

David P Harris to Fannie E Williams, all interest in lot 36, Rogers subdivision; part lot 23, Mineral Park tract, $200.

Thomas Colomar and Agnes B Alonso to Alice J Groves, Marcellus Y Stickney and Clara M Stickney, part lots 7 and 8, block 3, Homestead tract of Pioneer Building Lot Association, $10.

Edward B Dix to Richard Dorn, lot 1, block O, Linda Vista tract, $1000.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Carrie J Reeves, reconveyance of trust property.

William S Yawter and Sarah M Yawter to Annie Elizabeth Randall, lot 7, block 111, Santa Monica, $10.

Isaac Bierbo to and from Laura Burke, agreement to separate; second party grants to first party property not in Los Angeles county; first party grants to second party property in Los Angeles county; said parties unite in abandonment of homestead on above property.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to S A Brown, reconveyance of trust property.

F M Casey and Mary Casey to Kate O'Neill, lot 24, block 2, Obear tract, $10.

H Henry C Wood and Mary A Green to H Henry Wood, lot 182, Green's Central-avenue tract, $10.

Frances M Hazlesse and S M Hazlesse to Elizabeth J Guirado, lot 1, block B, M D Painter's subdivision, Painter & Ball tract, $10.

Parry L Griffin and Zula M Griffin to Joseph Patstrom, lot 20, block V, and lot 12, block T, Gleadora tract, $10.

Arthur Green and Emma L Crane to Mrs Clara Louise Price, lots 4 and 5, Wardell's subdivision Los Angeles, block 9, Monrovia tract, $200.

State Bank and Trust Company, trustee, (formerly State Loan and Trust Company,) to Maude Rice Ibbetson, part section 13, 1 N 11, part section 18, 1 N 12, $10.

R B Ibbetson to Maude Rice Ibbetson, part section 14, 1 N 11, and part section 13, 1 N 12, $10.

Belle P Sidwell and Lester L Sidwell to E S Judson and Chester C Sidwell, part Rancho Paso de Bartolo, $10.

E S Judson, Lester L Sidwell and Chester C Sidwell to Belle P Sidwell, part Rancho Paso de Bartolo; lots 31 to 34, block 34, Rivera, $10.

Belle P Sidwell, E S Judson and Chester C Sidwell to Lester L Sidwell, part Rancho Paso de Bartolo, $10.

Egbert Cowles vs S M Brown, Julia A Ivers, executrix of estate of Oliver A Ivers, deceased; Susan F Brooks et al; decree quieting title to plaintiff to lot 4, block 5, Washington Heights.

Mabel Bailey Rogers, formerly Mabel C Bailey, to Bertha M Willmont, part lot 25, Mineral Park tract, $600.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

FEST OF HONOR DIDN'T SHOW UP.

RECEPTION TO GEN. SHAFTER WAS DULY HELD.

Pasadena People Most Members of His Staff and Function is a Success—Admiral Putnam Guest—Events in Society.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 60 Raymond avenue, Jan. 22.—Notwithstanding the enforced absence of Gen. William R. Shafter, commanding the departments of California and Arizona, the reception planned in his honor by the members of John F. Godfrey, G.A.R., of Pasadena, was held last night according to schedule. Gen. Shafter is reported detained in Bakersfield, where he was spending by a kick of a horse a few days ago. The members of his staff are touring the various military department, were present at the meeting and were the honored guests at the public reception which followed in the Y.M.C.A. Hall.

Commander A. K. Nash of the Pasadena Post presided. Mayor Vedder delivered a fitting address of welcome to the visitors on behalf of the city. Assemblyman J. A. Merriam delivered a forceful address in behalf of the Sons of Veterans. Gen. Roberts, San Francisco, spoke of the work done in this state and ended by paying a fine tribute to the men who wore the blue and followed the flag in the days of '61. Chaplain Buckles of Sonoma spoke in fitting respects to the local Grand Army of the Republic in his own experiences in a pleasing manner. Capt. Daunton Post, Los Angeles, was present and made appropriate speech. Past Commander Wood and E. P. Livermore of Pasadena Post were also present. The evening ended with a reunion of the old guard with their wives and daughters of a number of the sons and daughters of a number of the old guard with their wives and daughters of a number of the sons and daughters of a number of the old guard with their wives and daughters of a number of the sons and daughters of a number

$1.25 Kid Gloves per pair 69c.

An assortment of fifty dozens of Women's 2-clasp Kid Gloves—black, white and colors. They are all cable sewed; have embroidered backs and every pair warranted. Regular $1.00 and $1.25 values. Cleanup Sale price as a Friday surprise. **69c**

Hamburger's Yearly Cleanup Sale

You Shop with Comfort in this Steam Heated Store.

FRIDAY'S SURPRISES

Store Thoroughly Steam Heated All Day.

Women's $3.50 Shoes at $2.45

These are of fine quality Vici kid—have extension welt soles. Patent or kid tips; military heels; are very dressy and comfortable and there are all sizes in the lot. Actual $3.00 and $3.50 values. Cleanup Sale price as a Friday surprise... **$2.45**

Cleanup Sale of Domestics.

8½c Cheese Cloth—red or white; slightly soiled from having been used for decorations. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **3c**

Remnants German Flannel—very heavy grade; lavender, green or fancy plaids; regular price 15c. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **5c**

5c Cotton Crash—a good twill weave; red striped edge; serviceable for kitchen uses Cleanup Sale Friday per yard..... **3½c**

5c White Batiste—hairline stripe pattern; good quality. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **3½c**

8½c Dress Prints—turkey red and white; fast colors; good weave. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **6¼c**

White Absorbent Towels—fringed ends; good for barbers' use; 8½c value. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **5c**

All Lengths Dress Ducks—4 to 6 yards each; plain colors; slightly soiled; 12½c value. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **6¼c**

All Linen Doilies—cream only; 9x9 inch size; regular price 5c. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **2½c**

Mill Lengths Table Felt—a woven felt fabric for silent cloth; lengths 1¼ to 3 yards; regular value 85c. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **40c**

"Lily" Plaids—a fancy fleeced waisting material which has sold up to now at 15c. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **10c**

Linen Bibs—Large size; have fringed ends; have sold up to now at 20c and 25c. Cleanup Sale price Friday, each..... **10c**

Fancy India Linen—lace striped; just the thing for children's aprons or dresses; regular price 25c. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **15c**

50c Fancy Table Damask—turkey red, green or blue; colors which are warranted to wash and a well wearing weave. Cleanup Sale price, Friday, per yard..... **29c**

70 inch Table Linens—full bleached; good weave; good patterns; a 75c value. Cleanup Sale price Friday, per yard..... **50c**

32 inch Madras Ginghams—assorted stripe patterns; good colorings; a regular 12½c grade. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **8½c**

"Cinderella" Baby Flannel—Plain red or old rose shade only; just the thing for children's garments. Worth regularly 12½c. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **7½c**

Book Fold Flannelettes—36 inches wide; figured patterns; good colors; 16½c value. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **12½c**

Bleached Dinner Napkins—Large size; Irish weave; very substantial; worth regularly $1.50. Cleanup Sale price Friday der dozen..... **90c**

Turkish Bath Towels—large size, unbleached; are very heavy and absorbent; worth regularly 40c. Cleanup Sale price, Friday... **25c**

White Madras Waistings—assorted patterns; the finest of these goods which have sold at 75c and 85c. Cleanup Sale price, Friday, per yard..... **49c**

Children's 25c Union Suits 17c.

They are fleece lined; are Jersey ribbed and are in gray only; button down front; have high neck and long sleeve; are in ankle length. They are well made garments which sell regularly at 25c. Priced for a Cleanup Sale leader as a Friday surprise 3 suits for 50c or per suit **17c**

15c and 20c Linings per Yard 4½c.

A Cleanup Sale of 2500 yards of mill ends of Silesia, Glass cloths, Percalines and other desirable linings; all of them 36 inches wide and in choice colorings and good lengths. Friday surprise per yard..... **4 1-2c**

$1.00 Combs at 19.

Tortoise shell, hard rubber and celluloid combs with sterling silver and fancy gilt backs. Values up to $1.00. Choice Friday..... **19c**

$2.50 Damaged Toys at 5c.

An assortment consisting of steam engines, wagons, horses, musical instruments, iron and wooden toys—all of those which were damaged and left over from the holidays will be offered as a Friday surprise at **5c**

BARGAIN TABLE. MAIN FLOOR.

Drapery and Rug Surprises

35c Cushion Tops—20 styles to select from, either tapestry or printed. Cleanup Sale price, Friday..... **15c**

75c French Tapestry Panels—in picture designs; pretty for dining or bedroom. Cleanup Sale price, Friday..... **25c**

50c Cushion Tops—stamped or tinted; are furnished with backs. Cleanup Sale price, Friday..... **29c**

$2.25 Sofa Cushions—filled with the best silk floss; have tapestry or lithographed covers. Cleanup Sale price, Friday..... **95c**

$1.00 Sofa Cushions—covered with art ticking and deep ruffle; a lot of 25. Friday, choice..... **49c**

$10.00 Skin Rugs—both wildcat and antelope skins; Some lined. Cleanup Sale price, Friday..... **$5.00**

$25.00 Fur Carriage Robes—also leopard skin robes and rugs; some lined. Cleanup Sale price, Friday..... **$15.00**

15c Silkoline—36 inches wide; best grade. Cleanup Sale price, Friday, per yard..... **10c**

25c Sateen—36 inches wide, good grade for draperies and comforts. Cleanup Sale price, Friday, per yard..... **15c**

75c 50-inch Rep—double faced for curtain and furniture covering. Cleanup sale price Friday per yard..... **50c**

FOURTH FLOOR.

50c Heavy Tapestry—for curtains and covering. Cleanup sale price Friday per yard..... **25c**

59c Ruffled Swiss Curtains—full width, a lot of 100 pairs. Friday, at, choice..... **39c**

$2.50 Bobbinet Ruffled Curtains—3½ yards long, edge and inserting. Cleanup Sale price Friday per pair..... **$1.69**

$2.50 Axminster Rugs—9x12 feet, seamless, best make. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **$1.95**

$1.50 Smyrna Rugs—30x60 inch size, reversible; a lot of 150. Friday..... **95c**

$2.50 White Wool Blankets—10-4 size, bound. Cleanup Sale price Friday per pair..... **$1.69**

$3.50 Silver Gray Blankets—11-4 size, finished. Cleanup Sale price Friday per pair..... **$2.45**

5c Brass Extension Rods—extend from 24 to 36 inches and include brackets. Friday, complete..... **3c**

12c Heavy Brass Extension Rods—with brackets. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **7c**

12½c White Curtain Swiss—36 inches wide; 3 styles, Friday surprise per yard..... **7½c**

$5 Walking Skirts $1.95.

Serviceable skirts for every day uses; are in plain tailored effects, striped patterns and are in solid colors. They are all wool and nicely made. Cleanup Sale price as a Friday surprise..... **$1.95**

$6.50 Walking Skirt $4.98.

Fancy mixed cloths in plain or seven gore flare shapes; Stitched around bottom; correct in Style and finish. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **$4.98**

SECOND FLOOR.

Dress Goods and Silk Surprises

36 inch Cream Mohair Brilliantine—smooth even weave; lustrous crisp finish; of wiry Mohair wool and sold up to now at 65c. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **50c**

45 inch Cream Mohair Brilliantine—a coarse yet smooth weave; lustrous crisp finish; perfectly reversible; is of wiry Mohair wool and matchless under $1.00; Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **79c**

45-inch Cream All Wool Crepe Egypte—a soft, clingy material; Crepe weave; a rich shade of cream; light weight; launders nicely; is pure wool and sold up to now at $1.00. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **75c**

50c and 75c Wool Waistings—also French Challies. The waistings are in narrow and wide stripes; Granite and Prunella weaves; Challies large and small figures printed on light and dark grounds; also printed all wool Henriettas; widths 27 to 30 inches; 50c and 75c values. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **29c**

$1.00 and $1.25 Snowflakes—blue and black grounds shot with white in flake effect, blue and black grounds with rough nub stripe and Natte and Canvas weaves; 46 inches wide. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **79c**

50c Wool Dress Materials—consisting of mixed Homespuns, plaid Cameleshair Zibeline, Boucle plaids; Cameleshair plaids with colored nubs, half wool Henriettas and fancy Granites; are 36 inches wide and have sold at 37½c to 50c. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **25c**

58S Corded Wash Silks—a new arrival in all the popular colors as also cream; are in corded stripes with fancy printed Persian stripes, cord effect. They are all new spring goods, are 20 in. wide and 58c values. Friday Surprise, per yard..... **35c**

50c and 75c Fancy Silks—in Louisene and Taffeta weaves fancy corded and woven stripes; also black India silks with large and medium size woven figures; widths 19 to 24 inches; values 50c and 75c. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **35c**

$1.39 Black Taffeta—36 inches wide; crisp metallic finish, the rustling kind and the guarantee woven on the selvage of every yard. Sold up to now at $1.39. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **$1.19**

$25 Tailored Suits

Including novelty mixed materials in all popular colors also plain Chevoits in blue or black; are either plain or self plaited trimmed effects and are in good style; value up to $35.00. Friday surprise..... **$14.95**

$50.00 Tailored Suits at $24.95.

Including mixed materials in wanted colorings; also plain cloths in blue, black or brown; also velvet suits. They are plain trimmed; have silk linings. Cleanup Sale price as a Friday Surprise.....

SECOND FLOOR.

Surprises in Household Necessities.

There are so many things which you can have around the home to make housework easy, also to give it the proper furnishing that page after page of advertising would not exhaust the list; but as a Cleanup Sale feature for a Friday surprise we have taken four lines of most worthy merchandise, any and all of which you can afford to buy at the sale prices.

$2.50 Air Tight Heater $1.69.

Polished steel air tight heaters—double lined; have nickel trimmings and nickel ventilator. These are a most economical heater and they are sold regularly at $2.50. Featured as a Friday surprise at..... **$1.69**

$1.25 Floor Brush at 49c.

Floor Brushes of pure Brazilian bristle and will last for years. They are a 15 inch brush and have 4½ foot smooth handle. Sell regularly at $1.25. Priced as a Friday surprise..... **49c**

75c Hay Forks at 29c.

Useful where you keep a horse or in removing rubbish in the yard. They are either hay or manure forks; all fine hand forged spring steel; 4 tine; long handle; worth regularly 75c. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **29c**

38c Sauce Pan at 25c.

Lipped Sauce Pans of best "Royal" steel enamelware; either bail or handle. They are 10 inches in diameter and hold about 4 quarts; the regular price is 38c but as a Friday surprise leader, no telepnohe orders **25c**

THIRD FLOOR.

Boys' $3.00 to $4.00 Suits at $1.95.

The suits for boys aged 8 to 16 years are in double breasted 2-piece knee pant style; coats lined with Farmer satin; pants double stitched and taped; materials wool, cheviots, tweeds and cassimeres. The suits for boys aged 3 to 8 years are in vestee 3-piece styles; have separate silk monogram shields; materials wool, cheviots and tweeds. Cleanup Sale price Friday Surprise, per suit **$1.95**

SECOND FLOOR.

Surprises in Laces and Trimmings.

As at all times you are supposed to have these little needfuls in your basket for they are always useful. This sale gives you the opportunity to supply your wants at a very little cost. It is a cleanup of short and broken lines and while there are a number of others you will find all values by these.

50c and 75c Silk Girdles at 10c.

These girdles are useful for either bath robes or trimming purposes; are 2 yards long; are in colors only; have sold up to now at 50c and 75c. Cleanup Sale price Friday, each..... **10c**

10c Embroidery Edges 5c.

Good quality cambric embroidery edges; choice patterns; strong mesh; open or close designs; widths 2½ to 3½ inches. A large lot from which to make selections. Values up to 10c. Cleanup sale price Friday per yard..... **5c**

10c Edges and Insertions 5c.

Point de Paris, Normandy and Torchon lace edges and insertions; also fancy nets and a large variety of patterns. They are in fine quality and mixed widths 1½ to 3 inches; values up to 10c. Cleanup sale price per yard..... **5c**

50c Trimmings 25c.

Assorted styles of fancy braids, passementeries, etc., all of good quality; are in mixed and irridescent colors; values up to 50c. Friday Cleanup Sale Friday, per yard..... **25c**

Women's Neckwear.

35c Neckwear at 10c

Fancy wash and silk neckwear, in a large variety of styles including turnover and stock collars, ties, stocks and bows in solid white and mixed color combinations; values up to 35c. Cleanup Sale price, Friday, each..... **10c**

Women's 75c Neckwear 25c.

A choice assortment of wash and silk neckwear—all new, dainty patterns; also assorted lots of fancy neckwear taken from regular stock, which are slightly soiled from display. They are values up to 75c. Cleanup Sale price, Friday, choice.. **25c**

Friday Surprises in Drug Sundries.

8-oz Bottle Vanilla Extract—pure for cooking purposes; made of best Mexican bean; regular price 75c. Friday Surprise..... **59c**

Almond Meal—large size boxes; an indispensable toilet requisite; regular price 25c; Friday Surprise, pkg..... **16c**

4-oz Bottle Ess. Ginger—a family remedy for cramps and stomach trouble; strictly pure; regular price 25c. Friday Surprise..... **17c**

Half-lb. Pkg. Cream Tartar—99 per cent. pure; best for cooking purposes; regular price 25c. Friday Surprise per package..... **19c**

Olive Oil—Pure; California "Poppy" brand; put up by ourselves; regular price 75c. Friday Surprise per bottle..... **59c**

Velveteen Face Powder—Delicately perfumed; strictly pure; flesh or white only. Friday surprise per box..... **19c**

Dentine Tooth Powder—violet, wintergreen and peppermint odors; put up in bottles with metal stoppers; regular price 25c. Friday surprise..... **18c**

Florida Water—large size bottle; an indispensable toilet requisite; regular price 50c. Friday surprise..... **33c**

Friday Surprises in Notions.

Women's Fancy Frilled Hose Supporters—Safety pin tops; all colors; regular price 15c. Friday surprise.. **8½c**

Women's Belt Hose Supporters—silk web; "Velvet Grip" and "Flexo" clasps; regular price 85c and $1.00. Cleanup Sale price Friday per pair..... **69c**

Collar Stiffening—2 inches wide; white, black or gray; regular price 10c per yard. Cleanup Sale price Friday per yard..... **3c**

Cube Pins—100 pins; jet and colored heads; regular price 7½c. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **5c**

Marshall's Needles—25 to the paper; all sizes, regular price 5c. Sale price per paper..... **2½c**

Hair Pin Cabinets—80 pins, assorted; regular price 5c. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **2½c**

"Swanbill" Hooks and Eyes—2 doz on card; black and white; regular price 2½c. Cleanup Sale price Friday 6 cards for..... **5c**

Whalebone Casing—9 yards to the piece; assorted colors; regular price 10c and 15c. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **3½c**

Surprises in Millinery

$1.50 Millinery at 59c

An assortment of hats for both women and misses. They are in a number of styles such as untrimmed turban shapes of scratch felt with white binding, neatly stitched; and children's hats of plain felt with plain braid binding and band caught with quill; also plain felt hats and shirred hats with shirred or plain velvet Tam crowns. $1.50 values. Cleanup Sale price Friday..... **59c**

BARGAIN TABLE. MAIN FLOOR.

$3.50 Ready-to-Wear Hats at 95c.

At least ten styles to select from mostly in flare shapes of scratch felt, either with stitched felt bindings or braid; finished with felt trimmings and ornaments. Others are of felt cut in strips and trimmed with velvet ribbon bands, caught with steel ornaments. Regular $3.50 value. Cleanup Sale price, Friday..... **95c**

SECOND FLOOR.

The Hamburger Store

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Remnants of Linens

...colored table damask; 72 inches wide; in remnants of 2 to 3 yards; Bargain-Friday, ... 50c

...bleached table damask; 60 inches wide; in good patterns; the regular price 60c; Bargain-Friday, ... 29c

...huckaback crash, 19 inches wide with red borders; worth 12½c; in remnants Friday, per yd.... 10c

...bleached crash; 18 inches wide; soft finish; good quality; cheap at 7c; Bargain-Friday, per yd..... 5c

...toweling, 18 inches wide; pure lined; assorted colors and patterns; worth 10c; Bargain-Friday, per yd. ... 8⅓c

...bleached linen crash; heavy and absorbent; 6½c

...table cloths; Bargain-Friday; per yard ... 6½c

...bleached table damask, extra heavy weight; good patterns; Friday, per yard ... 55c

...bleached crash, made from pure flax; the old-fashioned kind; real worth 15c; Bargain-Friday, per yard ... 11c

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BARGAIN FRIDAY

REMNANT DAY No. 217 ODDS & ENDS

Remnant Bulletin

8c 36-INCH WHITE CHEESECLOTH, YARD	5½c
6½c TICKING, YARD	4c
6½c BLEACHED MUSLIN, YARD	4½c
6½c DOMET FLANNEL, YARD	4½c
8½c FANCY PRINTS	5c
8½c APRON GINGHAM, YARD	5c
7½c APRON GINGHAM, YARD	5½c
10c CAMBRIC, YARD	6½c
10c HEAVY OUTING FLANNEL	PER YARD 7½c
10c 36-INCH DARK PERCALE	
10c DRESS GINGHAM	
10c HEAVY STRIPED SHIRTING	
12½c WHITE DOTTED SWISS	
12½c 36-INCH CAMBRIC	
15c 36-INCH FINE FLANNELETTE	
10c CORDED PERCALE, YARD	7c
10c PERSIAN FLANNELETTE, YARD	7c
10c SPRING DRESS GINGHAMS, YARD	6c
12½c BLACK SATEEN, YARD	8⅓c
12½c DOMET FLANNEL, YARD	8⅓c
15c COLORED ETAMINE SUITING, YARD	10c
2 5-8c GALATEA CLOTH, YARD	2c
12½c CREPE FLANNELETTE, YARD	8c

Manufacturers' Samples 25c Each

Women's Belts, Worth Up to 75c

Manufacturers' samples of women's belts in silk, velvet and various styles of leather; gilt or oxydized buckles in the latest styles; many new ideas in the lot; fresh, new crisp goods worth up to 75c; Bargain-Friday, each, 25c.

A large collection of side and back combs, hair retainers and pompadour combs; handy and serviceable; all good style, regular price 25c; Bargain Friday, each ... 15c

A miscellaneous collection of jewelry, consisting of shirt waist sets, belt buckles, stick pins, hat pins, brooches and cuff links; all 25c values; Friday choice ... 15c

39c Auto and Wrist Bags 25c

A lot of auto and wrist bags in imitation morocco, walrus and seal, with gilt and nickel frames; all good styles; 39c values; Friday, each, 25c.

Kindergarten Studies 1c Each

FREE LESSONS GIVEN

...canvas squares, stamped for kindergarten work, flowers, birds, animals and conventional designs; these would be cheap at 5c; Bargain-Friday, each, 1c.

...lessons will be given with each kindergarten square purchased. You will find them in the Art Department, aisle 1, near the Fourth street entrance.

59c Stamped Pillow Tops 15c

...stamped pillow tops; in a large variety of designs, including violets, poppies and rose designs; actual values up to 59c; Bargain-Friday, each, 15c.

...and muslin table scarfs and pillow shams; also appliqued doilies in large sizes; white and linen color; pieces worth up to 35c; Bargain-Friday, each ... 19c

...Ribbon Remnants ... 7c

...pieces of ribbon, both plain and fancy; widths up to 6 inches; good quality; lengths up to 3 yards; mostly a length in each less than 1½c, some ... Bargain Friday ...

25c Embroidery Remnants ... 7c

Embroidery strips, both cambric and Swiss; edges and insertions; large assortment of patterns; widths up to 6 inches; lengths up to 3 yards; many strips well worth 25c; Bargain-Friday, each 7c

15c Handkerchiefs For Women ... 7c

Women's handkerchiefs some lace trimmed, others with embroidered corners; most of these are slightly soiled from being displayed; excellent values up to 15c; Friday, each, 7c.

Men's $10 Suits $4.98

Men's all wool suits; odd lines from our fall and winter stock, the duplicates of which have sold as high as $10.00; fair range of sizes; neat colors; priced for Bargain-Friday, at each, $4.98.

Men's $7.50 and $8.00 Overcoats $2.98

Men's overcoats made from all-wool black kersey; not all sizes, but your size may be in the lot; originally priced at $7.50 and $8.00; Friday while they last, each, $2.98.

Men's Odd Vests 25c
Slightly Damaged, each

A big lot of men's odd vests; these are slightly soiled, having been wet; there is a fair assortment of sizes; if they were in a perfect condition they would sell readily at prices ranging from $1.00 to $3.00 each; Bargain-Friday, while they last, each, 25c.

Men's Blue Rib Overalls 50c

Better than are usually sold at 75c

A lot of 100 dozen men's heavy weight blue denim overalls with apron fronts; these are made of extra heavy denim; have four pockets; good, full bib; riveted buttons; they are better in every respect than overalls that are usually sold at 75c; in fact you can not get as good an overall under $1.00; sizes from 30 to 42 waist measure and all the staple lengths; Bargain-Friday, per pair, 50c.

Bargain-Friday Specials...Boys' Clothing

Youths' suits, odd lines representing all sizes from 12 to 19 years of age; various colors and patterns; suits originally priced at $5.00 and $6; Bargain-Friday, each ... $2.50

Boys' two and three-piece suits, some of blue serge, others of fancy worsteds; ages 4 to 11 years; $3.00 and $5.00 values; Friday, each ... $2.50

Boys' two and three-piece suits made from all-wool materials; ages 3 to 15 years; good colors; $3.00 values; Friday, each ... $1.50

Boys' knee pants made from good, strong materials; good range of sizes; regular price 35c; Friday, per pair ... 25c

Men's Damaged Felt Hats 25c Each

An odd lot of men's felt hats; both soft and stiff; most of them are soiled; original prices $1.50 and $2.00; Bargain-Friday while they last, each, 25c.

A big lot of sample caps; men's, boys' and children's sizes and styles; more than a thousand in the lot; regular values 50c, 75c and $1.00; choose from the lot Bargain-Friday at, each ... 25c

Women's Three-Quarter Length Coats $5

Some Worth Up to $20.00....

A small lot of women's tight fitting three-quarter length coats; meltons, kerseys and montaignacs; some of them lined throughout with silk; these come in black, tan and gray; a little passe in style, but good, warm, serviceable garments for people who cannot afford to be dressed in the height of fashion; not all sizes, but possibly your size is in the lot; only a limited number of them, but some of them sold originally as high as $20.00; Friday while they last, each, $5.00.

Misses' $4.39 Coats $1.98

Full length and three-quarter length coats for misses from 12 to 17 years of age; made from good, heavy oxford diagonal; box back, velvet collars, large fancy buttons; excellent garments for school girls; original prices up to $4.39; Friday while they last, each, $1.98.

Misses' and Women's Jackets Regular Prices Up to $4.98 ... $1.00

A lot of broken sizes in misses' and women's jackets made from good quality melton in castor only; fancy sleeves and cuffs; velvet collars; none larger than No. 36; regular price $4.98; Friday while they last, each, $1.00.

Elderdown dressing sacques, pink and blue only; well finished; some of them slightly soiled; cheap at $1.25; Friday, each ... 75c

Small lot of women's petticoats, some of percaline; in brown, gray and black; finished with deep flounce and ruffle; worth 85c; Friday, each ... 48c

A small lot of women's walking skirts, made from good quality gray melton; neatly trimmed; $1.50 and $1.75 values; Friday, each ... $1.48

Women's kimonas; some of flannelette, others of percale; mostly dark colors; excellent 50c values; Friday, each ... 25c

Furs at One-Third Their Value

Only a Small Lot

A small lot of fur capes, some of electric Seal with high storm collars of genuine marten, marten reverse down the front; lined throughout with best quality Skinner's satin; serviceable, neat appearing capes that were originally priced at $27.50; full three-quarter length; come in early if you've interested; Friday, while they last, each ... $13.75

Stone-marten capes, 27 inches long; finished with high storm collar; lined with black satin; original price $27.50; Friday, each ... $9.25

Unfinished otter capes, 27 inches deep; high storm collar; lined with satin; regular price $27.50; Friday, while they last, each ... $9.25

Notions for Bargain-Friday

...skirt braid in colors only; regular price ... 2c

...per roll ... 3c

...tape, black, white or grey; all lengths; ... Friday per pair ... 3c

...stitching in black, gray or white; all widths; ... Friday per yard ... 10c

...tape, black or white; all numbers; smooth finish; ... Friday ... 1c

...Belfast linen thread, black or unbleached; all ... Friday per spool ... 2c

...nickel plated safety pins; assorted sizes; Bargain- ... per dozen ... 3c

...pearl buttons, all sizes, two or four-hole; ... per dozen ... 3c

...pants of elastic, black, white and all colors; all widths; ... Friday HALF PRICE.

...d Cloth Bound Books ...lishers' Price 50c 19c

...Friday we offer a large collection of cloth bound ... the best works of such popular writers as Kipling, ... Southworth, Balzac, Irving, Emerson, Dumas, Fleming, ... Boyle, and others equally popular, including the immortal ... Shakespeare. Books published to sell at 50c, Bargain- ... each, 19c.

Snaps in Stationery

...Hurst's old parchment ... and perfection wove ... paper, regular price ... Friday, per ... 23c

...envelopes to match ... paper; regular price ... Friday, per ... 7½c

...playing cards; ... finish, reg. price 25c; ... per ... 15c

Continental jet black ink, regular price 5c; Bargain 3 bottles for 5c, or per bottle ... 2c

Good lead pencils, the sort that usually sell at 5c a bunch; Bargain-Friday, per dozen ... 2½c

Imperial crepe paper, in all the most desirable colors; Bargain-Friday per roll ... 4c

Tinware and Graniteware

Damaged by Smoke and Water--At a Quarter of its Real Worth

Some time ago we purchased a stock of merchandise owned by the Boston Department Store of San Bernardino, which was damaged by fire, smoke and water; through some oversight on the part of the railway company several of these cases were delayed and did not reach us until this week; most of the goods in this delayed shipment were tinware and graniteware; these go on sale Friday at prices that are well-nigh ridiculous, they are so low; some of the goods are badly damaged and others scarcely show a mark; the following is a suggestion of the prices:

20c Tin Tea Kettles for Oil Stoves	5c
8-quart Tin Dish Pans	5c
10-quart Tin Dish Pans	8c
10-quart Dish Pans, Retinned	15c
14-quart Dish Pans, Retinned	20c
2 and 3-quart Tin Sauce Pans	5c
All sizes of Tin Pudding Pans	5c
15c and 20c Tea and Coffee Pots	5c
10c Tin Dust Pans	3c

Hurry If You Want Any of These

50c Graniteware Roast Pans	19c
65c 10-quart Berlin Sauce Pans	20c
40c 4-quart Berlin Sauce Pans	12c
Graniteware Pie and Cake Pans, all sizes	5c
60c 14-quart Graniteware Rice Boilers	25c
35c Half Gallon Graniteware Water Pitchers	15c
Graniteware Milk and Pudding Pans, all sizes, 5c and	10c

Other Basement Bargains

White cups and saucers, set of six cups and six saucers, a bargain at 50c; specially priced for Bargain-Friday, per set ... 35c

Black satin stove polish, put up in cans; regular 25c grade Bargain-Friday ... 19c

Washing ammonia, good and strong; regular 5c pint bottles; Friday, each ... 3c

Bluing for laundry purposes, pint bottles that always sell for 5c; Friday ... 3c

Sewing machine oil; grade you often pay 10c for; Bargain-Friday, bottle ... 3c

Women's Underwear 25c

Excellent 50c and 75c Values.....

Short lines and broken lots of women's 50c and 75c underwear. Fine wool rib ed vests in cream and gray, high neck with short sleeves; some fine lisle vests and pants, vests with high neck and long sleeves; some jersey ribbed, fleece lined vests and pants; not all sizes of any one style, but a good range of sizes in the assortment. Bargain-Friday, per garment, 25c.

Child's 10c and 12½c Hose 5c

Good strong ribbed cotton hose, medium weight; fast black seamless finish; sizes 6 to 7½ only; 10c and 12½c values; Friday, per pair, 5c.

Child's 25c Underwear 12½c

Children's winter weight underwear, ribbed, fleece lined, in ecru or gray; sizes up to 12 years; worth 25c; Friday, per garment, 12½c.

Drug Section Special

Goodyear jersey fountain syringe two q. three-quart size worth 48c. Friday each ... 48c

Goodyear rubber unbreakable combs, all 10c sizes, Bargain Friday ... 10c each

Hair brushes, good bristles, plain black backs, regular price 10c. Friday each ... 10c

Pure Spanish Olive castile soap, a week reg. with every cake. Bargain Friday each ... 9c

Hand mirrors extra heavy glass, ebony back. Regular price 25c. Friday, each ... 15c

Evans' Saltrated tooth soap cleanses, preserves and beautifies the teeth; regular price 10c. Friday per bottle ... 9c

Hair Goods for Friday

Pompadour Jeans made from 10 inch hair worth $5.00. Friday each ... $2.50

Hair switches made from natural wavy hair, made in 3 separate strands weight 26 ... Friday each ... $3.00

Pompadour Jeans made from long wavy hair very full. $6.00 Friday each ... $3.00

Gray hair switches, 22 and 24 inches long hand finish worth $6.00. Friday each ... $4.00

Fine Calif. Blankets Regular Price $10.50 ... $8.19

Bargain Friday we offer a lot of about 50 pair of 11-4 all wool Californian blankets in fancy colors, silk bound edges, some slightly soiled, regular price $10.50, not more than two pairs to a customer Friday per pair $8.19.

All-wool 12-4 blankets, tan colors with fancy borders, silk bound edges, soft fleecy nap, regular price $8.75, Friday with a limit two pairs to a customer ... $6.49

An odd lot of fine all wool crib blankets with silk edges, all colors, size 36 by 40 inches, regular price $4.50. Friday, per pair ... $3.39

25c Liberty Silk 15c Yard

Also Silk Batiste.

Liberty silk in all the popular colors, as well as black; also silk batiste in fancy stripes for trimming and dresses; these are 18 inches wide; regular 25c values; Bargain-Friday, per yard, 15c.

25c Veiling Remnants 7c

Remnants of chiffon and net veilings in all the popular colors, also black and white; both plain and dotted lengths up to one and one-quarter yards; values up to 25c Friday per length 7c.

15c Trimmings and Laces 7c

A large assortment of trimmings and laces in various styles, remnants ranging in lengths up to three yards, many of them worth up to 15c per yard. Friday per length 7c.

Women's 15c Neckwear 7c

Pretty embroidered collar tops neat designs many patterns to choose from, all good 15c values, Friday each 7c.

...ATH IN FLYWHEEL.

...tal Accident at Cambria Steel ...l in Pennsylvania Laid to Broken ...rnor Belt—Five Dead, Nine ...rely Injured.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

...(Pa.) Jan. 21.—As a result of the breaking of a governor belt on an immense flywheel ... burst in the Cambria ... No. 2 rail mill today, ... dead, three are fatally ... six are more or less ... Walter Hoskier, who was ... the engine, felt the jar of ... flywheel running wild, ... on the steam valve and ... the engine. He was too ... for the explosion of the ... almost instantaneous. Flying pieces of metal broke steam pipes and released the scalding vapor. Redhot pieces of metal were hurled against the wooden walls and roof, setting them on fire.

At the same time, water pipes were broken, flooding the floor to a depth of a couple of feet, making escape difficult for the injured.

When the fire had been extinguished, the search for the dead and injured began, and it is believed that all have been recovered, though at first many more were thought to have been killed and injured. Nothing but the walls of the mill are standing.

...FIREPROOF WOOD.

...Chemist Demonstrates ...of Aluminium Imperv... ...to Flames.

...ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

...Jan. 21.—Joseph L. Ferrell ...phia has thrown hand... ...on a hot gas fire in ... of the Western Society of ... It smoked but did not ... ...pared pine shavings on ... ...over, pine splinters on ... ...and piled pine shingles ... on the supposedly in... ...material below until he ... had a good-sized bonfire. ...no flames, however, except ...from the gas. ...is a chemist and the ...Clemson gold medal, the ...given by the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia for chemical discoveries, has been asked to address the engineers on the subject of fireproof wood and combustible fabrics. He told them it could be done cheaply, and then he made the practical demonstration described.

To show that theater scenery could be made as impervious as wood the chemist held a piece of canvas in the flame, and, while it smoked a little around the edges, there was no flame.

Sulphate of aluminium is the composition Ferrell had used to fireproof the wood and cotton. His plan is to saturate the material under a pressure.

From a commercial viewpoint, Ferrell said there was nothing in the way of making any theater safe from spreading flames. While sulphate of ammonia, which has been used, is expensive, sulphate of aluminium is cheap, costing 75 cents a hundredweight, and the expense is comparatively small.

TOBD WRIGHT THAT HE LIED.

Judge in Role of Prosecuting Counsel At Trial of London and Globe Corporation Case.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 21.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Whitaker Wright left the witness box today, after two days' cross-examination during which the judge was prominent as prosecuting counsel. The latter designated as lies several of Wright's statements regarding various amounts, some as large as $2,500,000, appearing on the credit side of the London and Globe Corporation's balance sheets, but the defendant contended that they were merely "slips of the tongue."

Wright concluded by declaring that the failure of the British-American Company was caused by the malice of a group of members of the London Stock Exchange, who depreciated the London and Globe shares. He added that he was left with $2,000,000 worth of these shares. He estimated that his loss was from $1,500,000 to $1,750,000, and said he had mortgaged his property and sold his house in Park Lane in order to save John Flower and other brokers, who were engaged in sustaining the operations.

THE GIRLS WERE "CONTENTS."

Deputy Sheriff Levies on an Office Building and What is in It at the Time.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—A Deputy Sheriff has taken possession of the eight-story granite building of the Board of Education at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street to satisfy judgments aggregating about $250,000. He levied not only on the building but also on its "contents," which included a lot of typewriter girls and the Board of Superintendents. He was prevailed upon, however, to satisfy the execution by retaining a fast hold upon the building.

Four Brooklyn school teachers brought suit for salaries earned before the consolidation of the boroughs forming Greater New York. They won their case and the board was ordered to pay. An appeal was taken as the city should have been sued and not the Board of Education. The new corporation council has decided, however, that the city would have to pay.

"GOD NOT IN IRONCLADS."

Arnold Forster, Great Britain's War Secretary, Makes Speech for International Arbitration.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Speaking at Liverpool tonight, War Secretary Arnold Forster outlined his ideas of the many army reforms with reference to the War Office. He contended that it was more important to remedy existing deficiencies than to fix the responsibility for past evils. In conclusion, he said:

"We will have to follow the example of other countries and give our soldiers and sailors adequate opportunities to train themselves and acquire a mental equipment which will enable them to be authoritative guides to the council of defense, the point where conscience will assert its supremacy over brute instincts.

"The evils which afflict the body politic are not due to the extraordinary development of the material forces of the world, but to the fact that the moral sense has not always kept pace with industrial expansion. But there is an awakening at hand. In the United States, in England, in France, in Russia, everywhere there is an increasing group of those who are looking up to a higher ideal, who insist that a physical combat between men is as powerless as a fight between wild animals to determine the right or wrong of any proposition. They fear that even intellect, unless warmed and vitalized by a belief in the brotherhood of man, may go far astray.

"It is not on the plutocracy if wealth or on the aristocracy of learning, but on the democracy of the heart that the hope of universal arbitration and permanent peace must rest. Today, an increasing number of people throughout the world, standing on the heights, are learning that God is not in the ironclads or in the armies, but in the still small voice of justice that issues from tribunals like that recently instituted at The Hague."

Watch for the Hour of

The Sun Drug Co.'s Box Sale.

Store No. 1.

Southeast Corner Second and Broadway.

ARRESTS "DANGEROUS" HEIRESS.

MOBILE (Ala.) Jan. 21.—Ethel Revells, the young woman from Meridian said to be heir to several millions of property, left by an uncle, has been arrested on the charge of being "dangerous and suspicious." The complainant was Detective R. H. Hand of Meridian, Miss., who said he came here at the instance of the woman's uncle, James Huskey of Meridian, who desired to meet and consult the woman as to her future.

MILES OF WORLD'S FAIR AISLES.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 21.—The marking of the aisles in eleven of the main exhibit buildings of the World's Fair has been completed. The sightseer who traverses all of them will have walked almost twenty miles. These aisles are only the main passageways between exhibits extending from side to side of the buildings, and do not include the small aisles within exhibit allotments. There will be nearly a third more mileage of aisles in the exhibits buildings than there was at Chicago. There yet remain eight large buildings to be marked off.

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BUSINESS.

Bank clearings for the week ending yesterday were $6,996,322.72 against $5,485,119.15 in 1903 and $4,057,686.71 in 1902.

The New York stock market was carried to a higher level and a large and obstinate short interest was routed. There was enormous profit-taking throughout the day, and the close was active and firm. At Chicago, general liquidation took place in wheat. May closed at 91¼@92 and July at 83⅞. Oats made a new high record for May at 48@48⅝.

TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT.

The testimony in the Cholsser case is all in, the arguments of the counsel on both sides have been made, and Justice Chambers has taken the case under advisement. Whatever may be his conclusions, there is no question that the justice will be guided by high and conscientious motives in rendering his decision. His own good judgment must determine whether the case shall be dismissed, or whether the accused officers shall be held for trial in a higher court.

The principal contention of the prosecution in this extraordinary case was that the officers, in going to the Cholssers' room to arrest them, acted without sufficient authority. The whole case of the prosecution, in point of fact, rested upon this contention. That the plea of insufficient authority is flimsy and false is shown clearly and unmistakably, not merely by high court decisions without number, but in the common practice of peace officers all over the world. Illinois officers had telegraphed a request for the arrest and detention of the elder Cholsser, stating that a requisition would be obtained. This, in itself, gave the Los Angeles officers to understand that the fugitive was guilty of a felony, as requisitions are obtained only for the graver crime. It is the general practice of peace officers to arrest fugitives from justice upon telegraphed requests from peace officers in other States, the understanding being that a warrant for the arrest of the fugitive has been issued. This practice is necessary for the successful apprehension of criminals, and if it were abandoned a large proportion of the criminals fleeing from justice would escape the clutches of the law.

The good of society and the ends of justice demand that all reasonable means shall be employed for the apprehension of criminals. The laws are framed with a view to subserving the ends of justice and promoting the good of society. They are not framed to facilitate the escape of wrongdoers from the consequences of their wrongdoing.

And in any event the case of these officers who are charged with manslaughter has little to do with the guilt or innocence of the man whom they were sent to arrest. They were under orders from a superior officer, and their sole duty was to obey orders. If it were admitted that a mistake was made in this regard, the mistake was not that of the arresting officers.

The question as to whether there was sufficient authority for arresting Joseph Cholsser is a question of law, not a question for a jury. If the officers were held for trial in a higher court, it is not in the least probable that any jury that could be secured would convict them upon the flimsy, contradictory and irrelevant testimony adduced against them at the preliminary examination.

The strong point for the defense (and it would secure their prompt acquittal in any fair trial court,) is that the officers acted in self-defense. Even if they had no legal authority for going to the Cholssers' room (which is not conceded,) the Cholssers certainly had no right to open fire upon them the moment they entered the room. And in the instant when they were met by armed and murderous resistance, the officers were clothed with ample authority to arrest both father and son, for both became felons the moment they sought to kill the officers, irrespective of the question as to whether the officers were or were not armed with requisite authority. The fact that the younger Cholsser fired the first shot has been so completely established that there is no possible room to doubt it. With the establishment of this fact, the justification of the officers is complete. They had the common right to shoot their assailants in self-defense; and in addition they were under an obligation, as peace officers, to arrest the men who had committed a felony in their presence, and to kill them if necessary.

Summing the matter all up, the prosecution in this case made so lame and impotent a showing that their case amounted to no case at all. They proved nothing. Their own witnesses contradicted themselves and each other to such an extent as to render their testimony utterly valueless. If these officers be held for trial, they cannot possibly be convicted. No jury would find them guilty, and it is doubtful if any court would accord the case a legal standing.

GOV. PEABODY UPHELD.

A great outcry has been made against Gov. Peabody of Colorado by apologists for and participants in disorder and lawlessness of all kinds, because as Governor of Colorado he has insisted upon preserving the public peace, suppressing mob violence, and upholding the right of every man to work without intimidation or interference of any kind. The denunciations that have been hurled at Gov. Peabody have all come from one direction—from the lawless element and its apologists. It has been freely charged that he was overriding the law and the Constitution, and in every way exceeding his authority. Strenuous efforts have been made by the labor-union jawsmiths to secure some action by Congress, and although it is perfectly clear that Congress has no jurisdiction in the premises, a measure is now pending before the Senate (introduced by Senator Patterson of Colorado at the instance of the union bosses,) providing that Congress shall send a committee to Colorado to "investigate" conditions existing in the mining regions of that State. If Congress should take any action of this kind (which is altogether improbable,) it would be guilty of doing violence to the Constitution, which guarantees to each of the several States a republican form of government and the unhampered conduct of its own affairs.

The progress of affairs in Colorado has been closely watched by intelligent people in all parts of the country. The vigorous and effective measures which Gov. Peabody has put in operation for the suppression of organized lawlessness have won the approval and admiration of law-abiding men everywhere. Conditions in the mining regions of Colorado were exceptional, and flagrantly subversive of orderly government. These exceptional conditions called for the adoption of exceptional remedies. The proclamation of martial law is an expedient which is resorted to only in cases of extreme urgency. Extreme urgency existed in Colorado, where a horde of reckless ruffians had rendered the civil government in a large region practically powerless to preserve the peace or protect citizens in the exercise of their citizenship rights. The proclamation of martial law was a necessity of the situation, and it was probably the only practicable solution of the difficulties that existed.

Gov. Peabody's course has just received indorsement from a high judicial authority. Judge Moses Hallett, in the United States District Court at Denver, on Wednesday, after duly considering an application to his court on habeas corpus proceedings against the military authorities of Colorado, announced that his court is without jurisdiction in the matter. The application to Judge Hallett was made for the purpose of securing Federal intervention for the release of a prisoner held by the military authorities without civil warrant. Judge Hallet takes occasion, in denying the application, to express himself very clearly and forcibly as to the powers and duties of the State authority in times of turbulence. He says:

"In times of turbulence and when there is a probability of violence, discretion may be exercised on the part of the authorities in holding prisoners without bail and holding them in custody until reasonable investigation has been made. The Governor, as executive of the State, is authorized and required to enforce the law, and, if in doing so, he finds it necessary to call out the militia and use the powers of the State, he should do so. The matter of how the State should enforce the law is not for the Federal government to state. The Supreme Court of the United States has decided that when the authorities of a State are engaged in the execution of the laws of the State the courts of the United States have no authority to set them aside. The people of the State are to be congratulated in having a Governor who will enforce the law. The court will not interfere with him in the execution of his duties."

This is sound common sense. If the Federal courts were to interfere with the execution of State laws, in any such manner as they have been asked to do in Colorado, it would not be long before we should hear ululations long and loud from the very persons who are now making the most strenuous complaints because they cannot secure Federal interference in Colorado. Federal interference in such cases would be an unwarranted invasion of the right of every State of the Union to manage its own affairs and to conduct a republican form of government.

Every right minded man who has followed the course of affairs in Colorado will join with Judge Hallet in congratulating that State that it has a Governor who has the courage to enforce the law without fear or favor. If more States of the Union had chief executives like Gov. Peabody, there would be better government, less crime and more thorough protection of the rights of citizenship.

HOW ABOUT THOSE EXPERIMENTAL TREES?

About two years ago, or such a matter, publication was made of the fact that the Park Superintendent then in office was planting out some hundreds of different varieties of shade trees, experimentally, in order to demonstrate just what are the most desirable for shade purposes in this climate. Doubtless sufficient growth of some of these samples has been made in order to arrive at what tree planters in this city desire to know. It is but a few days ago that a letter was printed in The Times forum making inquiry regarding this very matter, and if information on the subject is to be had, a report from the park department would appear to be in order. It is not everything to plant out a tree. The first thing of importance to know is what kind of tree is best adapted to the situation, all things considered. It is a matter of common knowledge that some of the trees that have been set out along the streets in Los Angeles are undesirable, either because they litter the lawns and walks or by surface growth of roots which disturb cement curbs and other work of that character. Now that the public mind is becoming thoroughly aroused on the subject of tree planting to the extent that a celebration of Arbor Day is proposed as soon as the ground has been sufficiently moistened by rain, it is most desirable that the people be instructed as to the varieties best suited to soil, climate and other local conditions. If The Times is not misinformed some of the parks were made the breeding ground for tree growths which were to be left as permanent features of those breathing places of the populace. Information on the subject from the authorities, in some form or another, would be appreciated by that portion of the citizens of this city who are catching the tree fever and desire to make no mistakes when it comes to the matter of preparing that the coming generations shall be shaded, even though that of our day be sweltering throughout the hours when summertime comes again.

The loyalty of Senator Morgan to the Nicaragua Canal scheme would be more admirable were his discretion more pronounced in character. Under existing circumstances a canal across Nicaragua is quite as unlikely as the construction of a trolley road to the moon or the planet Mars; per contra, a waterway across the Isthmus of Panama is easily within reach, provided the Senate will bring the debating to a halt and commence voting on the matter of a canal treaty with the government dominating the territory where the canal site is located. There is no doubt but the Panama treaty will be ratified—a count of noses in the Senate has made that fact clearly apparent, therefore every hour lost in further discussion is not merely a waste of the people's money, but a wicked waste of valuable time, which, at this juncture, is worth more than money. Gentlemen of the Senate let us hear the vote.

The Senate Committee on Public Lands has ordered a favorable report on the bill providing for the purchase of the Calaveras big tree grove in this State, and the prospect appears to be excellent for the bill to become law at the present Congressional session. All of which is highly gratifying to California, and ought to be likewise to all the other States in the Union, for the big trees are citizens of the continent, not merely of this commonwealth which is filled with so many glories.

Senator Morgan is now proposing the annexation of Panama, but we will doubtless have the isthmus of that name fairly well corralled, provided our brawny sons of toil shall ever be given opportunity to get to work with their picks, shovels, dredgers, go-carts and other paraphernalia, which is much more valuable for use in the construction of such work than tons of talk printed in the Congressional Record on the subject, pro and con.

It is not the desire of The Times to make the subject of a union railway station in this city tiresome to the railway magnates who hold our fortunes in that regard in the hollow of their hands, but as we have for a long time been weary of being without that improvement, it is no more than equitable that we should refer to the subject, from time to time, as occasion offers.

In a trifle less than two hours one of the boodling aldermen of Grand Rapids, Mich., was found guilty, but with a recommendation to the mercy of the court. Just what mercy should be shown in a case of this nature is not apparent from this distance, but there may be another aspect to the situation in Grand Rapids, where the furniture comes from.

Admiral O'Neill says there has been no collusion, or understanding, with bidders on armor-plate contracts since June 1, 1897. As the admiral has nothing to say regarding the operations of the armor-plate manufacturers prior to that time, the great North American public is left to draw its own conclusions.

Nine torpedo boats and other craft belonging to the Russian government have passed through the Suez Canal bound for the Orient, and yet we are glad to know that the voice of the Czar is for peace, even though this demonstration, to a man up a tree, looks somewhat like preparation for trouble.

Had Admiral "Bob" Evans really gone to Tongampho instead of to Hongampho there is no telling what might have happened, considering how our Russian friends are wrought up about a mere rumor, or a bull in the transmission of the name of a port by a cable operator.

Long Island Sound is frozen over in part, for the first time in thirty years, consequently, we must assume that there is mighty good skating on Wall street, where water from those undigested securities has been booming for many months like a spring freshet in the Kaw bottom.

We are indebted to the high pressure over California for the present cool snap, as well as for the dry spell. It is unfortunate that low pressure isn't a commodity that can be bought with hard cash, as we certainly need the same in our business. And California has the cash.

There is an ice gorge "on the banks of the Wabash, far away," and the candlelight that was gleaming through the sycamores appears to have been snuffed out by a blizzard. And such is life at that distance from California, where the sunshine is so permanent.

If the ordinance proposed by a San Francisco spinster that any men declining a leap-year proposal shall be found guilty of a misdemeanor should become a law, what a hiking there will be for the brush by the marriageable bachelors of the metropolis.

The Pure Food Bill has become a law, but will not be active in its operations prior to February 1. Those who have it in mind to destroy the health of those who eat and try to digest things will have to hustle during the next few days.

The constitutional convention of the republic of Panama is again working; and the Colombian army is hiking for home. If one were a prophet it would probably be perfectly safe to predict that the new republic has come to stay.

STALWART OFFICIAL.

GOV. PEABODY STANDS FOR EQUAL RIGHTS FOR ALL.

The following letter from Gov. James H. Peabody, who has been making such a staunch fight for industrial freedom in Colorado, has been received by a representative of The Times:

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 14, 1904.—My Dear Sir: Answering your communication of this date, I feel at liberty, and am quite willing to express my words of commendation and encouragement to the work heretofore done, and at the present time carried forward by your splendid paper in educating the public mind up to the standard that law and order must be primarily enforced in order that equal privileges may be given to all and special privileges to none, and to eradicate from the public mind the sentiment that industrial strikes and their attendant troubles and violence, are by reason of a class war, for the fact must remain patent to any person at all familiar with the question that no community or commonwealth can be agriculturally productive, industrially constructive, educationally progressive and commercially active and competitive unless the conditions surrounding them be such as to, as nearly as possible, bring about a just and fair distribution of working results among all people, guaranteeing to them lawful protection in the pursuit of lawful vocations. This being an inherent right to every citizen of our country, no arbitrary association of some unincorporated and unauthorized organization can be forced to push aside and to take the place of the organic laws of our country, simply by the command of some self-constituted, but ill-advised, dictatorial leader.

The efforts along these lines which I have been making in Colorado to enforce obedience to the law, and to protect any one wishing to labor in the lawful pursuit of such employment are but the outgrowth of a knowledge of industrial questions that have precipitated trouble from one ocean to the other, and for which noble stand Gen. Otis and your splendid paper several years ago took a decided stand.

Hoping that the good work may continue until peace, sobriety and happiness pervade all ranks of labor, and wishing for you and your company continued success, I am respectfully yours,

[signed] JAMES H. PEABODY.

COLOMBIA HAS CONCLUDED TO "CUT IT OUT."

Colombia: Sac-r-r-r-e! I deed not know he vas so beeg.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

MASON OPERAHOUSE. Hall Caine's well-known novel, "The Eternal City," as rendered in dramatic form by himself, makes a stirring and strong play, decidedly out of the ordinary, yet instinct with the human emotions that are fundamental, and that, though old as the race of men, are for ever new. There are a number of anti-climaxes of which a more experienced playwright than the novelist would not have been guilty; yet the action, on the whole, is brisk, and the interest is not allowed to flag.

The play follows the story quite closely, but there are numerous departures from the original, made necessary by the requirements of dramatic construction and coherence. Admirers of the story—and it is a story of intense human interest—cannot fail to enjoy the drama, which is now holding the Mason stage.

The players have been well chosen for their respective parts. Besides the very capable company, the scenery should be mentioned as a feature of the performance which greatly enhances its value. It is by no means, Ernest Albert and Gates & Morange, well-known scenic artists. Without this beautiful scenic environment, the efforts of the players would lose distinctly in artistic value.

Edward Morgan, in the role of David Rossi, is forceful and convincing. Mr. Morgan has good command of facial expression, and is very successful in indicating intense emotions by methods which are quiet and self-contained. The rôle is one which makes unusual demands upon the resources of a player. Mr. Morgan honors these demands in a satisfying manner.

Frederic de Belleville plays the part of Baron Ronelli, Prime Minister of Italy, so well that his art wins the warm admiration of the audience, although the rôle is not in any sense a sympathetic one. Mr. de Belleville identifies himself completely with the character, never allowing himself for a moment to lapse into his own proper individuality.

It is rather a daring innovation to make His Holiness, the Pope, one of the important characters in a play. The innovation is made even more daring by the fact that the Holy Father is made the actual father of David Rossi. It is explained in the house programme, however, that the action of the play is placed in the future, and that "no personal reference of any kind is intended." Frank C. Bangs, an actor of reputation and wide experience, enacts the role of the Pope with becoming dignity, and invests it with the solemn sanctity which attaches to that sacred office. It is a highly interesting and artistic portrayal.

The character of Donna Roma Valuna is impersonated by Miss Sarah Truax with grace and forcefulness. It is a decidedly strong character, presented with skill and discrimination.

There are many minor characters in the play, and these, almost without exception, are in capable hands. The engagement will close tomorrow night. A matinée will be given tomorrow afternoon.

The next engagement at the Mason is that of the old favorites, Louis James and Frederick Warde, who appear for their first performance Monday evening. The especial vehicle of their talents is a new play, entitled "Alexander the Great," written by Rupert Hughes and Collin Kemper. The drama deals with the life history of the famous monarch of ancient times, the title rôle being taken by Mr. James. Besides this production, they will also give "Macbeth," "Othello," and others of the standard tragedies.

RIPPLES OF MIRTH.

Invoked the Tired Feeling.

First Mermaid: So sleeping near the cable is good for insomnia?

Second Mermaid: Yes; the society news from Europe makes you tired.—[Detroit Free Press.

Would not Be Handicapped.

The Lawyer: I'm afraid I'm going blind.

The Friend: Never mind, old man. So long as you retain your sense of touch you'll be all right.—[Life.

Not Such a Short Fight, Either.

First Russian: You say the fight was quickly over?

Second Russian: Yes; it was finished before you could say Jackopofinsky Robinsonopoletowsky!—[New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Hard Luck.

"Poor Miss Peaddd! They say she drew a blank in the matrimonial lottery."

"Worse than that. She drew an assessment. She had to pay his debts."—[Chicago Tribune.

In Their Original State.

"Do you think, then, that men descended from chimpanzees?" asked Willie Wishington.

"Some did," answered Miss Cayenna, "and some merely remained stationary."—[Washington Star.

His Mistake.

"I'd be willing to work fifteen hours a day for you, darling," he ardently pleaded.

"Scab!" she hissed, as she swept from the room; for her papa was a walking delegate.—[Town and Country.

Her Reason.

A young woman of New Rochelle Went around the streets swinging a bell.

When asked why she rang it

She said: "Why, go! dang it!

Can't you see that I've got things to sell?"—[New York Times.

Slightly Watered.

"Our new company is capitalized at $40,000,000."

"Great! Let me see your prospectus."

"Oh, we haven't got out a prospectus yet. The—er—the darned printer wants his pay in advance."—[Washington Star.

In Boston.

Mother: Emerson, I am ashamed that you have been engaged in vulgar fisticuffs.

Emerson: But, mother, he insisted on maintaining that the Shakespearean dramas were in reality the work of Bacon.—[New York Sun.

Hard on the Smiter.

"When an enemy smites me," said the pious-looking hypocrite, "I always turn the other cheek."

"Why," asked the man who knew him; "do you want your enemy to go around with both hands disabled?"—[Chicago Record-Herald.

He Would Be Let.

"Huh!" grumbled Mr. Skinnay, who was being uncomfortably crowded by the jolly-looking fat man in the trolley car, "these cars should charge by weight."

"Think so?" replied the fat man. "Then they wouldn't think it worth while to stop for you."—[Philadelphia Public Ledger.

THE SEA BIRD.

Far out beyond me 'mongst the shifting seas,
Or wheeling slantwise o'er the yellow sand,
Borne ever on the swift, salt evening breeze,
A wayworn wanderer that spurns the land.

All through the night I hear her mournful tones,
Tuned to the wind, kin to the distant roar
Of waters tumbling 'mongst the slippery stones
That mark the margin of the dismal shore.

"Is it," I said, "that she her vigil keeps
For some lost love; or for a hope that failed,
Fated as I to wander by Life's deeps
And leave the pleasant uplands unassailed?"

—[MacKenzie MacBride, in Black and White.

WAR DOINGS

Chancellor Austin explains Why Pensions for Several Years

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.] LONDON, Jan. 21.—(Special.) Chancellor of the Exchequer Austen Chamberlain, responding to the toast, "His Majesty's Ministers," at a banquet of the Constitutional Club company, said that since a change occurred within the last few months in the revenue returns there was little prospect of realizing the anticipations, and that therefore he would not be able to propose remission of taxes during the present session of Parliament.

He explained that the South African campaign had proved to be much more costly than had been anticipated, and that the purchase of the Cape railways, the two Chilean battleships and other unexpected charges, he hoped it would not be necessary to increase the taxation of the country, but said there would be room for economy in the future expenditures for several years to come.

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Income from Plant Will Pay Bonds and Expenses.

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The decision was reached at a conference held yesterday forenoon, and will be ratified at a formal meeting today. It is expected that City Attorney Mathews and the officers of the water company will sign the stipulations to be presented to the City Council next week.

Nearly every body approves the action of the Water Commission, it will doubtless be ratified at once to call an election for the people of the city to pass final judgment on the proposition.

Negotiations for the purchase of the plant have been in progress for the past several months, and during that time Superintendent Mulholland of the city water works, acting for the Water Commission, has investigated in detail the affairs of the West Side company, and has made accurate estimates on the value of the plant and system.

The West Side company placed a valuation of $300,000 on the plant, but Lee Mulholland, superintendent Mulholland of the city water works, As a final price, the sum of $237,500 was agreed upon by both parties yesterday morning.

The purchase would include about 40 miles of water pipe in the territory about five miles from the present city limits. This would have more than 3000 new connections, and a revenue of $75,000 per year.

MANY NEW PIPES.

The southwestern part of Los Angeles, in which the West Side Water company operates its system, has had considerable growth, and the company has been obliged to keep pace with this growth in its supply of service pipes. There is a large section of its system in need of water pipes recently laid. Superintendent Mulholland estimates that the average life of water pipe is about one-half years, so that the company will be at no immediate cost for renewals in this part of the plant. However, some of the older sections of the pipe are proving too small for the demands made upon them, and these will have to be replaced soon by larger pipes.

The purchase would also include 370 acres of land at the Headworks near Cahuenga Pass, and the six-mile main from that point to the city.

The connection with the city in the future will be made by the West Side Water company, which will be of interest in view of the agitation of municipal ownership of water works.

Prior to 1897 it appears that no systematic books kept by the company, but for that year the company made a statement of receipts of the water service.

For the year 1898 the receipts were $228,000.12; for 1899, $230,686.19; for 1900, $236,915.73, and for 1901, $237,-72.75, making a total of $1,037,-[illegible] receipts for the past year have not yet been filed, but the rapid growth of the territory in which the company operates would bring the figures to near $275,000. At the time of the report the company had 3975 connections.

WILL STOP LITIGATION.

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Members of the Water Commission say the action was unanimous, and the [illegible] from the valuation set by Superintendent Mulholland received the support of the entire commission.

Mayor Snyder, president of the Board of Public Works, and Superintendent Mulholland were present at the meeting, and understood that if the sale to the West Side company is effected, the West Side company intends to operate its plant in connection with Hollywood and Sawtelle, which are outside of the city's end of this deal.

ON VEGETABLES.

Reduced the Output by Several Hundred Carloads—Celery and Cauliflower Affected.

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"Many men report that such crops as they have not been experienced for eight years. On account of the frost which has killed the tops of the young plants in the fields, we have shipped over 200 carloads of celery thus far this season. Celery is one of Southern California's best products, and it is one of the principal outputs in the vegetable line. Next to celery, cauliflower is the most important commodity in the shipping line. Over 200 carloads having been shipped to date. Unless a good rain comes to help the crop will be a failure. Prices are now just about what they were."

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How Otoes Spend Money.

The plethoric Otoes, those thrifty, high-priced inherited affluence, are putting on all kinds of ridiculous airs. They are buying the most costly horses and carriages, and several of the squaws are buying very expensive watch marks. One of them recently bought a little daughter decorated in the Japanese an expert tattooer, and he paid her $300 for the indelible job.—(Chandler (I. T.) News.

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Suburban trolley rides for county prisoners are in prospect. If you see one of the elegant electric coaches whizzing out Adams street way within a few days and marked "Private Car," you can safely wager that it is carrying a lot of Weary Willies.

The purpose is not solely to give the inmates of the hobo tanks a ride for their health. There is a lot of cold calculation behind it. An improvement job which has been started on Adams street west of the city limits involves the removal of 20,000 yards of earth along a half mile of that highway. Owners of abutting property are contributing a part of the expense, and the county is to do the remainder. The work could be done to advantage by the county chain gang, were it not for the fact that to convey the gang from the County Jail by wagon is a two-hour trip.

Four hours per day spent in taking the gang to and from the work would leave too little time for actual digging, and it is feared that the weary ones would not get sufficient exercise to insure good digestion. In order to facilitate matters Supervisor Wilson is seeking to arrange to have a Traction car come to the County Jail each morning, get the prisoners, convey them to their work and bring them back at night. According to his reckoning that would provide transit quick enough to give time for a fair day's work on the improvement.

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And will offer about 1000 pairs of Misses', Boys' and Infants' Hose for this special. The assortment comprises everything from the plain black cotton hose and sox to the fancy lace and embroidered lisle thread and fine cashmere hose; also a lot of infants' fancy colored sox.

This is a sample line from our German manufacturer and comprises some of the finest stockings made. We place the assortment on sale today at

20c the Pair, 3 Pair for 50c

We have a large stock of Quilted Silks and Satins that are very stylish for lining evening wraps. Prices 85c to $1.25 the yard. Lining department.

See next Sunday's papers for a special sale of colored dress goods, black taffeta, knit underwear and walking skirts.

RICH LAMPS

of all sizes, shapes and Decorations will be on special sale today at about 1-2 price also shades, etc. See window.

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Novel in treatment, (exclusive in material)—with all the indefinable little touches of "difference" that lift them from the common-place—radically unlike the "see one, see all" styles prevalent in average stores—mostly one of a kind, in fact. That's the reason they're reduced.

$35 to $60 Values at $25

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At Half Price

Cluny crochet and Macrame laces—white, cream and champagne shades—bands, edges and appliques—from 25c to 50c a yard, instead of 50c to $5.00—just half regular values.

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Less Than Half

Jets, silk fringes, gimps, Persian bands, fancy wool braids—20c, 25c, 35c and up to 50c values—priced for quick clean-up today—per yard..... 15c

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All Bon-soaps, 3cakes for 25c today. Ed. Pinaud's, Rozes & Co.'s, Mulhen's 4711—Lettuce, Violet, Z-nobia, 'Espagne and other popular odors.

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Beautiful boyant conception, almost. Few people have the knowledge or the courage to put so much style into their garments as do the makers of "Marquise" and "Klicker-locker" Waists; but the best of it is, these exquisite white mercerized cotton waists—loom stripes, dots and brocades—come to you considerably under-priced.

$3.50 Waists for $2.75 — $4.50 Waists for $3.75

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Snider's Corn 2 lb can	10c	Royal Baking Powder, per lb can	40c
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Smoked Cods per pkg	10c	Walnuts per lb	15c
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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Rain.		Max.	Min.	Rain.
Boston	28	26	.02	New York	32	28	.02
Washington	34	32	.01	Buffalo	28	24	.02
Pittsburgh	44	40	.01	Cincinnati	36	32	.04
Chicago	34	32	.02	St. Paul	14	4	.04
St. Louis	38	40	.010	Kansas City	30	22	.02
Los Angeles	58	36	.00	Jacksonville	64	54	.00

*The maximum is for January 22; the minimum for January 21. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 21.—(Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.34; at 5 p.m., 30.32. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 41 deg. and 52 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 80 per cent.; 5 p.m., 57 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., North, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 36 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level. Weather Conditions.—The pressure is high and rising on the Pacific Slope and in the mountain regions, accompanied by fair, cold weather, and heavy to killing frost in the great valleys of California and in the southern part of the State. The pressure is highest in Central California and in Western Nevada, and relatively low in the south, conditions favorable to warm weather.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and not so cold; fair, warmer, Friday; northerly winds, fresh to brisk.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Weather conditions and general forecast. Rain is falling over Washington and Oregon, with snow in the Rocky Mountains. The pressure has risen slowly over the greater portion of the Coast. Very cold weather is reported in Southern Arizona, New Mexico and eastward. Heavy frost is reported in Southern California. Fair, cool.

Forecast:

For Northern California: Rain Friday in northern portion; cloudy elsewhere; light southerly winds.

Southern California: Fair Friday; becoming steady at night; heavy frost in the morning; light north winds. Citrus-fruit growers should be ready to smudge.

Nevada: Cloudy Friday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Friday; light easterly winds.

Arizona: Fair Friday and Saturday.

Liners.

Telephone your want advertisement, Ring up Press One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rates, one cent a word each insertion, minimum charge, 25c.

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THE LOS ANGELES PRIVATE DETECTIVE Association has been established at rooms 322 and 323 Bryson Bldg. We take care of all kinds of work, criminal or civil, and the collecting of evidence, and prepare to furnish the best of reference and guarantee all business entrusted with us will be strictly confidential. If we take the case of out, see the Head and Manager, J. L. REYNOLDS. Home phone 6[illegible]

SPECIAL—YOUR OLD FURNITURE, PIANO and stock reconlished and refinished in French hand polish and dull finish; sixteenth century and weathered oak finished a specialty. CALIFORNIA FURNITURE REFINISHING CO., 319 W. Fourth, between Main and Spring. Home phone 1[illegible]

NOTICE—

TO

ARCHITECTS AND CONTRACTORS.

For fine, durable, beautiful work, Russell's Marble Works, No. 329 S. Spring st. For particulars, write D. C. F. DENBEY, Mojave, Cal. 22

BOOKS! BOOKS!—OXFORD BIBLES, 20c up; 100 titles $1.25 gems—10c to read; 75c to read; paper novels, 5c to read; about 10,000 books to choose from. HERMIT WARD, 422 S. Broadway.

I WOULD LIKE TO COMMUNICATE WITH any one who saw elderly gentleman fall from west-bound W. Adams car at 24th and Juliet, about 3:30 p.m., Jan. 18. R. DREAPER, 2[illegible] Somerset Pl. 22

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpets cleaned and relaid same day if desired. We buy and sell carpets. 437 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Main 217, Home 217.

PROF. PFUHL CURES HEREDITARY AND nervous diseases, rheumatism, fits, by psychology; teaches self cure and occult sciences; consultation free. 921 MAPLE AV.

FOR SALE—ST. V. M. COMPANY, 132 W. FIFTH ST. Bankers' goods, wholesale and retail. TEL. RED 5[illegible]

NOTICE—I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE for any bills contracted by any one, Mrs. R. C. Reed, after this date. R. C. REED.

CHICAGO WALL PAPER CO.—SELLING out line of Mr. Hoffman at 5c; all 10c papers, 7c. 341 BROADWAY; both phones.

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets; upholstering and repairing. 220 E. 6th. Tel. Main 218. Home 7[illegible]

WM. MACMURRAY, CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, 336 BYRNE BLDG., Los Angeles.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 1[illegible] E. Seventh st. Tel. Forest Main 1[illegible]; Home 1[illegible].

IF YOU WANT TO SELL, LIST YOUR property with the DAY REALTY CO., 230 Byrne Blk.

BORDERS' NAME PRICE AS PAPER: BEST paint, $1.60 gallon. WALTER, 627 S. Spring.

KING DETECTIVE AGENCY—OFFICES WILSON BLK., LOS ANGELES.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 1041; James 6570. MRS. HEATH.

BEESLEY, MAKES THE BEST WINDOW shades in Los Angeles. W. Home phone 5[illegible]

IF YOU WANT TO BUY PROPERTY, SEE DAY ABOUT IT. 230 Byrne Blk. 22

MAPS FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING 25c per line; minimum charge, 50c.

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PERSONAL—WANTED, AT ONCE, EVERY man, woman and child afflicted with sores of every kind, no matter how long standing, to call at No. 6[illegible] W. Fourth st., this city, and be cured. Don't neglect a few days or a few of time from business; cure effected from 1 to 10 days from commencement of treatment; no charge for treatment unless cured. DR. E. T. [illegible]

PERSONAL—JUST OPENED, BALTIMORE MASSAGE PARLORS, 940 S. Hill st. Scientific massage, electric and Swedish movement cure for neuralgia and rheumatism. Ladies and gents. Hours 10 to 10. Terms reasonable. Home phone 1[illegible]. 22

PERSONAL—RETURNED, LEONIE REfused. The seventh daughter of the seventh; can be consulted on all affairs of life and receive one dollar reading for 25 cents. Room 13, 311 W. THIRD st., between Broadway and Hill. 22

PERSONAL—FRED MASON, WHY DON'T you write? Have good news for you. Mrs. R. C. Reed, after this date. R. C. REED.

PERSONAL—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Home phone PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE life reading; palmist; business; lawsuits; letters; locations described; speculations; property, love affairs. 414½ S. SPRING ST.. Rooms 5 to 11.

PERSONAL—MRS. M. ALLY, THE WELL-known palmist and psychic, gives advice on all affairs of life. 505 S. BROADWAY. 23

PERSONAL — MME. J. J. WHITNEY, BUSiness psychic, life reader. 128 E. FOURTH, Hotel Johnson.

RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING 25c per line; minimum charge, 50c.

PERSONAL—

Business.

PERSONAL—MME. GRAY, 231½ S. SPRING. Palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

CHURCH NOTICES—

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Los Angeles. Services in the church edifice, 17th st., near Figueroa, Sunday, 10:45 a.m.; sermon, from the Christian Science Quarterly, subject, "Sacrament." Solo by Miss Simmons. Sabbath school at 10:45 a.m.; testimonial meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.; reading-room in the church parlor, open daily from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Take Washington st. car to Figueroa and 17th; Traction to 16th and Georgia.

CHURCH OF THE UNITY—UNITARIAN—725 S. Flower st. Rev. C. J. K. Jones, minister. Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m., service 11 a.m.; subject, "The Opportunity of the Liberal Church." Rev. Enoch Powell Ord, Nebraska. The Unity Club will meet on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock under the direction of the science section.

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Help, Male.

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Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast.
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General blacksmith, $2.50, $3; gasoline engineer, $30 etc., month; book-keeper and stenographer, $60, etc.; boys to carry bills, $5; woodworker, 12.75; colored man and wife, $35; also ranch teamsters, $30 etc.; laborers and teamsters for Arizona; press feeder, 4 work; scraper teamsters, $1.25.

HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPART.

All-around cook, $30 etc.; man and wife, waiter and waitress, $60 etc.; pantry man, $25 etc., month; dishwashers, $7 to $8 etc.

Child's nurse, $20 etc.; housegirls, city, $20 and $25 etc.; girls to assist, $15 to $20 etc.

WOMEN'S HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPARTMENT.

Pastry cook, $12 week; woman to assist, vegetables, $25 etc.; head waitress, country, $30 etc.; 3 waitresses, Arizona, $30 etc.; 12 waitresses in tourist and first-class hotels in Southern California, $25 etc.; four chambermaids, country, $20 etc.; two chambermaid, beach, $20 etc.; body ironer, hotel, $30 etc.

HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
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WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN the barber trade in the only reliable barber college in the city of Los Angeles who have schools throughout the United States and control a large number of barber shops; also wages paid while learning. We are offering special inducements at present. practically teaching the barber trade free. For particulars call or address WESTERN COLLEGE OF BARBERS, Incorporated, 330½ S. Broadway, rooms 13-20, Los Angeles; also 647 Commercial st., San Francisco.

WANTED—JAPANESE
INFORMATION BUREAU.
128 N. MAIN.
John [illegible] Home 7[illegible]
DOMESTIC.
Cooks, waiters, porters, house workers; also day workers, etc.
CONTRACT.
Ranch hands of all kinds, railroading, gardening, etc.

WANTED—JAPANESE
EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
'Phones
Main 1[illegible]. Home 1[illegible].
349 E. First st.
We furnish all kinds of reliable help on short notice, by day, hour or contract.

WANTED—HELP; M. E. MISSION JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU. Tel. West 579. Home 3732.
House cleaning department.
Furnish most reliable help.
Cook, waiter, porter, janitor, house worker, dish washer, schoolboy, ranch hand.
$5 512 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—DELIVERYMAN, $25; DRESS goods clerk, $25; collector and delivery man, $25; dry goods clerk, $25; clothing clerk for shop, $25; bookkeeper, $30; cashier, $35; office manager, $150; experienced clerks of all kinds, office men, and mercantile help generally who want permanent situations with good firms, should call for our terms. 215 COFF BLDG.

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
242 S. Olive st.
Phone Main 1[illegible]. Home 5[illegible].
Strictly first-class and largest agency in this city; carefully-selected male and female help of all descriptions and nationalities furnished promptly; labor furnished by the day.

WANTED—HELP! HELP!! HELP!!!
JAPANESE
PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
321 W. SIXTH ST.
HOUSE-CLEANING DEPARTMENT.
'Phones Home 1078, Main 1714.
Most reliable help promptly furnished. Ranch work by contract. 22

WANTED—
JAPANESE
EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
121 W. NINTH ST.
Tel. Sunset Main 2[illegible]. Home 6[illegible].
All kinds of first-class help promptly furnished; house cleaning day or hour; ranch work by contract.

WANTED — JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 327 W. SIXTH ST., NEAR CENTRAL PARK. All kinds help furnished promptly; cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, house and window cleaners. Tel. Main 5764; Home 5[illegible].

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER to call on cash capital which they can invest. $1000, $2000, $3000, $5000, $6000; salaries from $75 to $150 in addition to dividend. 215 COFF BLDG.

WANTED—ORCHESTRA LEADER AND trombone for road show; well-known, high-class company; never close, running year and 5 months already. Address L. box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BARBER TRADE TAUGHT FOR $15; tuition refunded when learning; call or address for full particulars. AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., Incorporated, 413 N. Main.

WANTED—GOOD SOLICITOR FOR RELIAble accident insurance company; city work; liberal contract; steady work; give reference. Address J. box 21, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A FINE APPEARING ELDERLY physician, must be active and good case taker; no traveling; salary about $100. Address O. box 91, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—DRUMMER, PORTER, SALESmen, mechanics, general labor, hotel, office, shop work; man, wife teamster; others. EDWARD BITTINGER [illegible] Main.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS INSURANCE MAN to write accident and health insurance; new plan; salary guaranteed right party. Apply 718 GRANT BLDG., 9:30 a.m., Friday. 22

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN, 16 TO 18 years of age, for stenographer and office assistant, in railroad office; salary $30; good future. Apply 825 BYRNE BLK. 22

WANTED—15 FIRST-CLASS CONCRETE men, $2.25; 3 good laborers, $2; one first-class cement man, $3; at once. REED'S, 2[illegible] S. Third. 'Phone 1[illegible]. 22

WANTED—4 FIRST-CLASS SALESMEN; good positions for right parties. Call 2 p.m., room 21, WALDO HOTEL, corner Fifth and Main sts.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BODY IRONER at West Del Coronado laundry; $25 room and board. Call up CORONADO AGENCY, Home phone 6[illegible].

WANTED — MAN TO TOP AND CUT IN stove wood, six large gum trees for two cords of the wood. Address L. box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BUSHELMAN; ONE WHO CAN alter, press, clean gentlemen's and ladies' clothing. 239 FRANKLIN ST., room 11.

WANTED—A GOOD MAN ON ORANGE and walnut ranch; good pay; steady job and privileges. Address K. box 3, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF planing mill, make estimates and oversee mill. Apply to UNION MILL CO., Santa Barbara.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN, 16 TO 18, with wheel, as office assistant and collector; $5 week; good future. Apply 325 BYRNE BLK. 22

WANTED—BOY, 17 OR 18 YEARS OF AGE, with wheel. Apply 420 W. NINTH, after 7:30 this morning. Wages $5 per week. 22

WANTED—ACTIVE YOUNG MEN TO COLlect weekly payments; good salary; chance for advancement. 215 HENNE BLDG. 22

WANTED—BARBER AT THE COOMBS and THE MIRROR. Call this morning. Union or non-union. 22

WANTED—GOOD BOYS TO CARRY PAPER; short route and good pay. Call at 205 S. BROADWAY. 22

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BICYCLE MAN. Apply 24 S. RAYMOND AVE., Pasadena. 23

WANTED—

Help, Male.

WANTED—FEEDER FOR JOB PRESS. PIONEER ROLL PAPER CO., 201 North Los Angeles st. 23

WANTED—EXPERIENCED DRY GOODS man. Call between 10 and 12, 324 SOUTH SPRING ST.

WANTED—A PRESSER; MUST HAVE EXperience in tailoring. 413 W. SIXTH; immediately. 22

WANTED—AT ONCE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, $40 month. 202 SEVENTH ST., Santa Monica.

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE; half price. 122 E. SECOND, Barber College. 27

WANTED—CARRIER FOR TIMES WHEEL route. Apply to NOYES, Times office, at 4:30 p.m.

WANTED — BOYS WITH WHEELS FOR messengers. Call at 210 W. FIRST ST. 22

WANTED—TAILOR FOR BUSHEL WORK. Apply at 215½ W. FIRST ST. 23

BOY DISHWASHER, 2 MEALS. $5.50. 224 S. HILL. 23

WANTED—

Help, Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS, Female Department, Ramona Blk. Corner Third and Spring. Rooms 22-23. 'Phones Main 1[illegible]. Home 1[illegible].

4 seamstress, hotel; housekeeper, $25; girl, hairdressing parlor, $7 week; 2 girls, family, $25; women, general housework, city, Chino, Ocean Park, Riverside, $25 and $30; assistant, $15 and $20; waitresses, hotels, city, Redlands, Ontario, Santa Ana, Pomona, $25 and found; waitress, restaurant $8 week; waitress, 1 meal, 50c; laundress, hotel, $30 and found; first-class body ironer, $30 and found; 2 first-class starch ironers, $18, $15 week; nanzie girls, starchers and shakers, $7, $8, $9; seamstress, $1.25 and $1.50. 22

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID, HOTEL, CITY, $20; 3 waitresses, San Diego hotel, $25; housegirl, 3 adults, country, $25; housegirl, two ladies, $30; three housegirls, city, $30; housegirl, 3 adults, $25; housegirl, 2 adults, no washing, $25; waitress, cafe, no Sunday work, $6; waitresses, Pasadena and country, $25. MRS. GREGG, Miss Day's office, 121½ S. Broadway. 22

WANTED—THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 455 S. Broadway.
'Phones Home 2[illegible]. Sunset Main [illegible].
Two girls, general housework, city, $20; middle-aged woman, family two, country; another, easy place, San Jacinto, 2 in family; cook, restaurant, city, $25; many g-s-eral housework positions, $20 and $25.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS ARM WAITRESS, $9; no Sunday; nursegirl, $15; first-class cook, private, 3 in family, $30; beach, $20; hotel waitresses, $25; housework, $25. MRS. KEIFER, 231½ S. Spring, room 10. Home 'Phone 2[illegible]. 22

WANTED — SEAMSTRESS, DOCTOR'S ATtendant, envelope addressers, saleslad[illegible], bath attendant, chambermaid, waitress, parlor maid, housemaker, office work. EDWARD NITTINGER, 231½ S. Main. 22

WANTED—GIRL FROM 15 TO 18 YEARS of age to do light housework; Hungarian or German preferred. Inquire at E. MEHEET'S CURIO STORE, Fourth and Spring.

WANTED—GIRLS WHO ARE EXPERIenced on power machines to make overalls and pants; steady work all year and best of wages paid. 346 N. MAIN ST. 22

WANTED—A SERVANT FOR GENERAL housework; $20 monthly; must do washing. Apply SOFFEL'S DRUG STORE, Vernont and 24th st., Los Angeles. 22

WANTED—WOMAN, LIGHT HOUSEKEEPing, family of two, small house, plain cooking. Call Monday after 12 o'clock. 1[illegible] Vernon car, 16th st. 22

WANTED — SALESLADY FOR LACE AND embroidery department; must have thorough experience in these lines. Apply J. M. HALE CO., 107 N. Spring.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESLADY to represent city in selling; good prospective clientele. Apply Home 'Phone 71, 426 for MR. WHITE.

WANTED — WOMAN TO ATTEND TO rooms and parlor in small private house, from 8 to 10 a.m. daily, $1.50 per week. 8 OLIVE ST. 22

WANTED—GIRLS TO WORK IN BINDERY; those that can sew blank books; steady positions. R. W. PRIDHAM, 112 N. Los Angeles st. 22

WANTED—AT THE ALESSANDRO MASsage parlors, 107 S. BROADWAY, rooms and apprentices; also one experienced operator. 22

WANTED—WOMAN TO CARE FOR INvalid lady; must be pleasant disposition. Inquire 1225 W. SEVENTH ST. Home Tel. 6[illegible]

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DOUBLE-ENTRY book-keeper; state experience. Address own handwriting, K. box 25, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG LADIES TO ENTER training class for nurses. SOUTH PASADENA OSTEOPATHIC SANATORIUM. 22

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 129½ N. Fourth st., for women only. Phone James 5421.

WANTED — GOOD CHAMBERMAIDS FOR good place out of city; good cooks, waitresses. ROOM 4, 244½ S. Broadway. 22

WANTED — EXPERIENCED IRONER; good wages; steady work. Apply TROY LAUNDRY, corner 14th and Main. 24

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. $25. $20; also second girl and cook, $25. 8 BROADWAY, room 28.

WANTED—GIRL FOR BATH AND MASsage parlors at once. 240½ S. SPRING ST. Apply afternoons and evenings. 22

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED GIRLS FOR dry goods and notions. Call between 10 and 12, 404 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED TRIMMER on millinery. Apply VIENNA EMPORIUM. 249 S. Broadway.

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL TO TAKE care of babies at 1128 WALL ST. Can go home nights.

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WANTED — GOOD OPERATORS FOR wrappers to take work to home. 147 VINE ST. 22

WANTED—A LADY COOK GRAND VIEW RESTAURANT, 304 Buena Vista st. 22

WANTED—GIRL FOR COOK AND GENeral housework. 1028 WESTLAKE AVE 22

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork and cooking. 721 S. HOPE. 22

WANTED—GOOD FINISHER FOR LADIES' tailoring at 1227 W. FIGG. 23

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Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMEN: GUARanteed salar[illegible] $20 to $75, and expenses, per month. MRS. S. R. MOTT, manager, 231½ S. Spring st. Apply immediately. 23

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WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LADIES' TAILOR (Scotch American,) just arrived from Boston, Mass., would like position with first-class house as cutter and fitter; capable of taking full charge; good recommendations furnished. Address K, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 25

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF GOOD EDUCAtion and five years' business experience in wholesale house, desires situation, of any kind, where he can make himself generally useful; best references; moderate wages. Address K, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED — JAPANESE, RELIABLE, GOOD cook, who has experience for many years, wants position in small private family; works clean and patiently; city or country; wages $8 up per week. N. S., 647 S. Spring. 'Phone Main 3069. 25

WANTED — POSITION BY CHEF AND baker; 15 years best hotels in the East; 1 year in Pasadena, California; very best local and eastern references; strictly temperate. 22

WANTED—CANDY MAKER WHO ALSO IS COMPETENT IN FINE PASTRY; CAKES, ICE CREAM, CONFECTIONERY. CALL, ADDRESS CONFECTIONER, ROOM 1, 253 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, STRONG AND intelligent, not afraid of work, desires position; best references; moderate salary. Address K, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED — BOOK-KEEPER, CITY OR country; young man, with seven years' experience in Los Angeles; good references. Address K, box 8, TIMES OFFICE. 24

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, TEN YEARS resident of California, would use clerical position with wholesale house; references. Address K, box 69, TIMES OFFICE. 24

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG JAPanese to do general housework in respectable family; reliable. Address H. S. KIMA, 211 Wilmington st. Tel. Main 1641. 22

WANTED — COACHMAN, COMPETENT man, would like a situation; also understands the care of lawn. Address K, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED—SITUATION; YOUNG MAN, 28 years old, having wife and child to support, is in urgent need of work. Address K, box 80, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED—BRIGHT JAPANESE WANTS a position any kind help, where he can go to the night school. Address K, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 22

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WANTED—

Situations, Male.

WANTED — POSITION AS ASSISTANT book-keeper or general office work by young married man. J. E. B., 708 EARLHAM ST., Pasadena.

WANTED—WANT GOOD HELP? 'PHONE 467; Main 1897. GILKERSON & MANCHESTER EMPLOYMENT CO., 244½ South Broadway. 23

WANTED—POSITION IN DRUG STORE BY young man with (two years' experience; salary no object. Address J, box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED — CARPENTER WANTS WORK finishing by day or contract; also repairs or cottage work. Address KEEVER, 2[illegible] Dorsey ave.

WANTED—POSITION AS STENOGRAPHER or office assistant by young man; have had experience. Address J, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 24

WANTED—TO TAKE FULL CHARGE OF boarding-house in mining camp or not less than 100 men. BONNER, 309 S. Broadway. 22

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WANTED—TO DO CARPENTER OR PAINT work for suburban lot. S. S. SPENCER, General Delivery.

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WANTED—

Situations, Female.

WANTED — SITUATION; AN ENERGETIC woman of executive ability, desires position in an office, as companion, or helper in quiet family; with elderly people preferred; good home rather than high wages desired. Address K, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 24

WANTED — YOUNG FRENCH LADY DEsires position as companion to 1 or 2 children, afternoons only; references; loves children; satisfaction guaranteed; speaks fluently English, French, German; musician. Write BOX 74, Station C, city. 24

WANTED — SITUATION FOR GENERAL housework by experienced American girl; references; also Norwegian girl for general housework. 'PHONE 6[illegible]. 23

WANTED—BY YOUNG WIDOW, POSITION as housekeeper in respectable family; family with children preferred. Address K, box 91, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED — SITUATION BY LADY AS dressmaker, housekeeper or to take charge of rooming-house. Address GARDENA, Cal., box 54. 22

WANTED — POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS cook; with eastern people preferred; best of references. Address J, box 71, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—POSITION FOR LIGHT HOUSEwork in small family of adults. Address K, box 88, TIMES OFFICE. 22

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WANTED—BY A GIRL, PLACE WITH Catholic lady who would teach her how to work. 226 BOYD ST. 22

WANTED—SITUATION AS PARLOR MAID or the care of one child. Address P. M. O., 1128 Santee st.

WANTED—WIDOW WITH CHILD WANTS position as housekeeper. 827 W. EIGHTH. 22

WANTED—

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WANTED—LADIES' TAILOR AND DRESSmaker, man and wife, late of New York, Paris last summer, wishes to correspond with parties with a view of locating in California. Address LADIES TAILOR, care Carrier 4, Grand Rapids, Mich. 24

WANTED—PASADENA EMPLOYMENT OFfice. All kinds of first-class help furnished promptly. 'Phone Black 3[illegible]. L. ARMBRUSTER & CO., 36 W. Colorado st., Pasadena.

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WANTED—AT PASADENA, 2 TO 5 ACRES on Colorado between Hill ave. and Lamanda Park; have a client wanting a good building site; call or write L. H. FRAZ, 202 Trust Bldg., Los Angeles. 22

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WANTED—FURNISHED AND UNFURnished rooms; also housekeeping rooms in all parts of Los Angeles. If you have a room to rent leave your name and address with the LOS ANGELES FURNISHED ROOM DIRECTORY, 230½ N. Spring st., room 11. 22

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WANTED—

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WANTED—

To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

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10 acres, fine, bearing walnuts; extra good soil; abundance of water; near electric line; 20 minutes from city; $1600; on easy terms.
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FOR SALE—OVER 6000 ACRES BEAUTIFUL farming land, well watered, 20 miles south of Redondo; suited for subdivision for first-class colonists; ample market in neighborhood for grain, alfalfa, oranges, poultry, dairy products; berries and all other fruits ripen 4 weeks earlier in this district. Address L, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 29

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When the Fire Chief reached the ... scene he ordered the sounding of ... "three 3's" alarm, which brought ... two additional engines and two ... companies. It was evident from ... start that the firemen could not ... the burning building for by the time ... the first stream was on the walls ... was ablaze all over and the roof ... to fall in, while from the sides ... a mass of flame which made it ... sible for the firemen to get ... fective working reach of the ... building.

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On the east side of the ... the main tracks of the ... road, and on a siding between ... the warehouses were a number ... These were barely saved by a ... crews, the railroad men being ... hold their coats over their ... they could couple them to ... tive, so intense was the heat.

Despite the large size of ... the goods it contains were ... inflammable nature that ... hour nothing remained but a ... of flaming, smoking ash. ... was destroyed, and there will be ... salvage from the ruins.

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...s Punishing Sluggers. Races East and West.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND, (Ore.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] D. E. Dugdale, the ... baseball magnate, spent ... hours closeted with the Port... Baseball Association officers and ... today, and then took the ... for his Washington home, depart... mysteriously as he appeared.

... came here at the request of ... C. F. Swigert to talk over ... position of managing the ... claims that he made the club ... to buy a certain portion ... stock, but they wanted to hire ... manager. At all events the ... went little beyond the pre... diminish today, although it ... probable that Dugdale will ... ately to take the matter up ... height.

TURF MEN MERGED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

AT BANKRUPTCY TRIAL.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—That ... investment companies ... to pay 5 per cent. weekly on ... caused the merger of the ... Securities Company and the ... Finance and Mortgage Com... ... respectively only 5 to 10 ... monthly, was testified to to... Fernando Bailes, president of ... Company, during a hearing ... petition of depositors to have ... other promoters of the con... bankrupt.

... Finance and Mortgage ... put out of business by ... but not before it had se... the applicants—Joseph S. ... Fleming, O., and E. E. Mur... W. Spinning of Cincinnati ... than $1,000,000 from va... of the country by alluring ...

... that he had no duties ... his name as president. ... his pay was $50 a week. He ... in the office of the company, ... seen its books.

MISSOURIAN TOO MUCH.

KENNY FOUND KENNY EASY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

... Jan. 21.—Yank ... York, tried to go six ... Jim Jeffords of Cali... in the Broadway Athletic ... so far outclassed that ... ended the fight thirty sec... the first round was up. ... minutes and twenty sec... bout lasted. Kenny was ... down four times and he was ... out when the referee stopped ...

HELD TO GRAND JURY.

PUNISHING SLUGGERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The carrying-out ... plan of the Boston police to ... boxing exhibitions and prize... in Boston today resulted in ... to the grand jury of Joe ... and "Kid" Carter, who were ... Tuesday night at the Cri... Athletic Club, after Carter had ...

ANY A SLIP ON THE OAKLAND TRACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Immediately after the field broke in the ... race at Oakland today, ... the 1-to-2 favorite, stum... and threw Jockey Wonderly. The ... injury. With Oarsman out, ... proved easy for Waswift, a ... chance. Grafter was second and ... McGowan third. Scherso, winner ... third race, was bid up from ... to $80 by Frank Doss, but he ... Cascine was given a bad ... fall in the fifth race, and after ... to be winning, was beaten ... Titania, the even-money ... Jockey Sullivan, suspended ... for keep engagements, will ... to ride in the Lissak Han... Saturday. Summary.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Libbie Canfield (Buttz,) 10 to 1, won; Harry (Hildebrand,) 7 to 2, second; ... (Foley,) 6 to 5, third; ... Hungarian, Donator, Bas... Lou Cleveden, Penance, ... Or and Facts finished as ...

Mile and a half furlongs, selling: ... (J. Martin,) 3 to 2, won; ... (Hildebrand,) 9 to 2, second; Sea Air, 105 (Hildebrand,) 9 to 2, third; time 0:43. Eduardo, Wills, Mogregor, Leah, Ding Dong, Escobosa and Ragamanda finished as named.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Scherso, 106 (J. Daly,) 6 to 1, won; Targette, 95 (Hildebrand,) 4 to 1, second; Quaker Girl, 107 (Mell,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:09. Princemont, Gene Handlan, Miss Ringlets, Inspector Munroe, St. Yusef, Forest Fire, Morello R., Trixie and The Hawaiian finished as named.

One mile and fifty yards, purse: Waswift, 108 (Hildebrand,) 7 to 1, won; Grafter, 106 (J. Martin,) 16 to 1, second; Hugh McGowan, 91 (Reed,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:43¾. Soothsayer, Pachuca and Kleinwood finished as named. Oarsman fell.

Futurity course, purse: Princess Titania, 106 (Connell,) even, won; Cascine, 102 (Bell,) 3 to 1, second; Letola, 81 (Hildebrand,) 11 to 5, third; time 1:10. Reeves also ran.

Seven furlongs: Ethel Abbott, 97 (Hildebrand,) 3 to 1, won; Mountebank, 107 (J. Martin,) 7 to 1, second; Bill Massie, 102 (Kunz,) 15 to 1, third; time 1:28¾. Coroner Kelly, Harry Thatcher, Silurian, Rollick, Dorice and Albemarie finished as named.

KNOCKED CHOYNSKI OUT.

Knocked Choynski out in the first round. Eight others were arrested on a charge of aiding and abetting a prize-fight, and were held to the grand jury. Bail for each was placed at $500.

Horses Bring Top Prices.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Top prices in the Ogden horse sale at Dexter Park Pavilion have been paid by easterners. Prince Katon, a bay stallion sired by Red Heart, out of Aurora Highwood, was sold to R. Weston of New York for $3750, and Hattie B. and Lady Best, a team of bay mares sired by Fairview, went to L. W. Cushman of Boston for $2600. Nowood, the stallion sired by Nutwood, out of Nora Wilkes, was sold to M. E. McCaffrey of Stillesville, Ind., for $3750.

New Orleans Summary.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21.—Six furlongs: Short Cake won, Responsive second, Snow Cap third; time 1:15 1-5.

One mile: Felix Bard won, Caterpillar second, Circus Girl third; time 1.42.

Six furlongs: Clangor won; Big Ben second, Parisienne third; time 1:14 1-5.

Mile and one-sixteenth, handicap: Lara Lighter won, Ethics second, Hands Across third; time 1:46 4-5.

Three and a half furlongs: Friar Tuck won, Marrett Wilson second, St. Resolute third; time 0:42 1-5.

Mile and one-eighth: Handspinner won, Free Admission second, Lee King third; time 1:56.

EUGENES HERE.
CRACKS ARRIVE.

The crack Eugene team of San Francisco arrived last night, ready for business, and seven men came along.

The visitors battle array will probably be Leap, Thorpe, Shave, Eucrat, and Birdsall. Russell and Bertelson will officiate as substitutes.

The local players, Dysinger, Dee, Gilman, Simpson, Lacey, and others have had nightly practice on the Coliseum alleys. They are doing well, and expect to send the visitors home with an overwhelming defeat.

BILLIARDS.
WRIGHT VS. KENISTON.

Another balk line billiard game is scheduled for tonight at Berry's, Frank Keniston and "Chick" Wright being the contestants. Tomorrow night Sigourney and Carney will play, and on last night's showing, the local man has a chance. In a practice game at Berry's with W. G. Spinks he ran 87. Carney thus far has the highest run of the tournament, 91, made the first night. Even money has been offered it is not beaten.

DRIVING CLUB.
MATINEE SATURDAY.

The coming matinee of the Driving Club Saturday contains two promising races, one of which should prove a "corker." It is the free-for-all pace in which are entered Dictatress, Billy K., L. W. Wood B., and Electra. Needless to say the event will be for blood, and it will be driven out to a finish. Nearly every man who is to start a horse thinks he is holding the ribbons over the best one in the race, and that idea always helps.

The 2:25-class mixed event is also promising. Dewey, Roan Dick and Allen, three pacers, are entered against Claude Black's Maud, a trotter, which that worthy expects to distinguish herself.

A good-sized crowd will probably take in the event. Driving Club matinées always gain a good attendance, the high class of the sport forcing it.

HACKMAN SERIOUSLY INJURED.

W. E. Christie, one of the most generally-known hackmen in the city, employed by the Look Cab Company, was seriously injured shortly after midnight near the corner of Pico and Figueroa streets in a collision between his hack and an electric car. The car struck the rear end of the hack while going almost at full speed, crushed the body of it and threw Christie from his seat to the paved street. He fell on his back and sustained a fracture of the hip and a dislocation of the knee. He was taken to a hospital. The injury is so severe that he will be confined to his bed many weeks. He is unmarried.

HURDLE RACE DUMPS MANY.

Both Sports and Jockeys Land on the Ground.

Stemwinder is Only Favorite to Win the Money.

Large Crowd Sees Good Sport and Much of it.

Two horses stumbling over the first hurdle; another refusing and shooting his jockey head first into it on the second attempt, and the race itself won by the outsider Cambaceres at 7 to 1 in the betting was the excitement furnished yesterday at Ascot Park in the jump race.

This was by long odds the feature of the day, and it became more interesting from the chorus of "Ohs" and "Ahs" that swelled up from the big crowd of excited spectators that watched the race with their hearts on their sleeves and noisily voiced their feelings when the feature event of the day began with two spills and ended with one. It is a stirring thing to see two boys turning head over heels on a race track with horses tumbling over them, and then before you recover from that fright to see another beast shy at the same hurdle when he comes to it again and catapult his jockey into it like a shot out of a gun.

These things don't happen every day, and some people who never go to a race track and hate it because they don't know any better, might say that the Ascot management provided these jumping races for large crowds of women to see riders injured. Such accidents generally happen in every hurdle race, but it is gratifying to state that although three riders were violently thrown in the race none of them was hurt beyond a few minor bruises.

This race was an interesting one in various ways, for not only were three riders thrown, but the public lost a barrel of wise money on it, and in addition the horse Lurdon, one of the two that stumbled at the jump, galloped riderless down past the grand stand, bolted through the wire fence along the side of the track, and then ran around the grand stand and back to the north end of the park for a little diversion all by himself.

SPORTS LOSE MONEY.

Of all these "excitements" the most shocking one was the amount of wise money burnt up on the race. No one could tell just what it amounted to, but it was up in the thousands, and the defeated favorite, Poorlands, carried about all of it. He opened in some books at 5 to 2, and the wise people almost fought each other to get down on the horse. The tip was out strong and the stream of coin soon cut the price down to 4 to 5, and then the sports eased off until the price went to evens again. The owner of Indian II even put a wad on Poorlands, for he did not think his own horse had a chance. The pikers who could not stand the price went to Indian II and Cambaceres, and those that played the black horse fell good, for Cambaceres was in front all the way.

Richards at once took him out to set the pace, and the farther he went the more he drew away from those behind. The field flew at the first hurdle in a bunch. Just before they reached it Ceylon swerved out in front of Lardan, stumbled over the hurdle and threw his rider, McHugh. Lardan was right behind and also stumbled, and in an instant the 6000 spectators saw an indiscriminate mixing of flying horses' legs and blue and orange jockey colors as riders and horses mixed in a jumble on the ground. The other four horses cleared the fence safely and Cambaceres sailed away at a terrific clip, with Poorlands second. They were the only two in the race, and Poorlands with 175 pounds on his back could not keep up to the light-weighted Cambaceres, who was four lengths ahead at the half-mile pole, five at the last turn, and the same at the finish. Heir Apparent was third, but at the last jump he refused it, stopped suddenly, and his rider, Sutherland, shot over his head and struck the hurdle fence head-on. The boy was picked up unconscious, carried into the saddling paddock, and was revived in a few minutes.

ONE FAVORITE WINS.

The only favorite to win was Stemwinder in the last race, and he managed to beat Best Man in a driving finish by Walsh's good riding. He got away fourth, but soon raced into the lead and kept it to the wire. Best Man being second from the last turn. Tower of Candles got away poorly and could not catch up. Cardwellton was left.

OUTSIDERS CLEANED 'EM.

The first outsider arrived in the first race in Tax Man, who was by long odds the class of the race and towroped his field from the start. He had speed to burn and raced the others off their feet from beginning to end. Rio Chico was nicely placed after the start, and under strong urging finished second. The odds-on favorite, Obenrice, was off in the rush and didn't have a bit of speed at any part of the journey.

The baby race went to another outsider in Brown Study at 4 to 1, who beat the gate, but then only won by Walsh's riding. The favorite, Molar, was slow to begin, but came with a great rush through the stretch.

Redfern made Andrattus win the fourth at 8 to 1, the favorite, Sceptre, being third to the outsider. Athelrose There was considerable play on everything in this, including Estado, but he never seared anyone.

Mrs. Dunnell's Elwood had another exercise gallop in the fifth, picking up 119 pounds and making a show of such as Dargin, Golden Mineral and Fonasta. The well-played Golden Boy was left at the post.

TIPS FROM THE RING.

The same seven ring books that have handled the business for the past week cut in yesterday, and this shows that they are not complaining very much about the game.

George Rose lost a bunch of money on the jump race, and was pretty sore after it was over.

Jockey Lewis will not be seen in the saddle today or tomorrow, for his two days' suspension begin to operate today. He was brought up with a turn last Wednesday for breaking the string, but was allowed to ride out his engagements yesterday.

Starter Beirman didn't do so well yesterday, for he left two horses at the post and made several straggling starts. These things happen, however, to all starters.

George Cochran, who owns Indian II, bet a couple of centuries on Poorlands, and didn't cash, of course.

Just how much weight Elwood can carry and win is something no one knows. He has made a show of everything in his last two starts, and yesterday packed 118.

Those who are surprised at Cambaceres winning the jump race should stop to think that he broke the track record for the distance, and with his light weight had every reason for beating Poorlands.

TODAY'S RACES.

The card for today is as follows: First race, six furlongs, maidens: 5775 Eva D. 109; 5641 Negrusca, 109; Gentle Harry, 103; 5767 Trapshooter, 103; 5796 Jerry Flanigan, 102; 5804 Rosario, 105; 5621 Geo. Koester, 105; 5713 Turtle, 105; 5435 Alamansor, 105; Ben Heywood, 105; 5745 Carnivel, 105; 5748 Flea, 107; 5794 Lauretta Phillips, 115; 5699 Gottlieben, 110; 5808 Foncasta, 113.

Second race, Slauson course, selling: 5734 *Susie Christian, 99; 5734 Louise Meuing, 94; 5780 Effervescence, 94; 5795 Piquet, 94; 5769 *Agnes Mack, 101; 5733 *Phyx, 101; 5732 *Nanon, 103; 5733 Mexicanna, 104; 5782 Minnie Arnett, 108; (5723) *Gehalmnsea, 109; 5724 Cloche d'Or, 114.

Third race, one and a sixteenth miles. Selling: 5797 *Hub Prather, 100; 5746 *Autumntime, 100; 5804 *Ping, 100; 5784 *Nat Goodwin, 100; 5804 *Rio Chico, 100; 5784 *Emir, 100; 5732 Uppercut, 102; 5756 Bluestridge, 103; 5625 All About, 103; 5774 Terra Incognita, 105; 5770 Ulm, 107; 5677 Castaka, 108.

Fourth race, six furlongs, purse: (5794) Bais, 99; (5728) Pat Bulger, 99; (5691) Dolly Hayroon, 100; (5783) Paul Whaley, 100; (5632) Elgin King, 100; 5771 Pustian, 102; 5780 Glennevis, 110; (5777) Crusader, 112.

Fifth race, seven furlongs, selling: 5779 Columbia Girl, 93; 5769 Fox Lake, 98; 5782 *Lady Foore, 100; 5794 *Laoreon, 102; 5784 Cortana, 103; 5798 Strife, 106; 5795 *Eugenie B. 106.

Sixth race, one mile, selling: 5781 *Merwan, 97; (5799) *Canaja, 99; 5792 *Fontera Pearces, 99; 5772 *Labor, 101; 5781 *Violet, 101; 5781 *Invictus, 101; 5701 *Dr. Bernays, 101; (5770) Lunar, 104; 5793 Moor, 104; 5721 El Oriente, 108; 5772 Rag Tag, 109.

*Apprentice allowances.

TAMMANY HALL ORGANIZATION.

LATEST SCHEME OF LOCAL IROQUOIS CLUB.

Wards and Legislative Districts to be Placed Under Captains to Whip the Faithful into Line—Will Try for State Convention.

A full-fledged Tammany Hall organization, and all that carries with the idea, is the latest scheme of local Democratic politicians.

This action was determined upon last evening by the Iroquois Club at its weekly pow-wow, and resulted, practically, in a reorganization of the club.

In order to accomplish the end sought, the Iroquois constitution was revised, continuing in office the present officiary and appointing captains in the several wards. Later the same plan will be adopted in the Legislative districts throughout the county.

Maj. J. T. Jones will pose as Grand Sachem, and Frank Garrett will ably second his chief's activities. The several committees appointed will constitute the cabinet of the new organization. The responsibility of whipping the faithful into line in the different wards of the city will fall upon the following "captains:" First Ward, R. J. Adcock; Second, Martin C. Marsh; Third, Dr. R. V. Day; Fourth, M. K. Young; Fifth, Fred L. Sexton; Sixth, M. W. Conkling; Seventh, M. F. Betkouski; Eighth, E. L. Hutchison; Ninth, C. H. White.

These captains are authorized to appoint one lieutenant to assist in the effort to keep unruly Democrats marking time, at least, until the real political battle is on in earnest. These captains and lieutenants are subject to removal at any time Grand Sachem Jones deems he has good Democratic cause.

The following committees will cooperate:

Organization—A. S. Patterson, Nathan Cole, Jr., Le Compte Davis, together with the president and vice-presidents.

Auditing—R. J. Adcock, E. P. Clarke, C. E. Kenny.

Finance—Ed Kern, O. E. Parish, A. C. Harper.

Resolution—Dr. R. V. Day, Ned T. Rowell, Sam Haskins, J. Harvey McCarthy, Hon. M. P. Snyder.

Press—H. M. Love.

Grand Sachem Jones was also authorized to appoint a committee of five to endeavor to secure for Los Angeles the next Democratic State Convention. These committeemen will be selected from the membership of the County Central Committee.

MISSIONARIES WANT MONEY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Women from all parts of the country are attending the third anniversary meeting of the Women's Union Missionary Society of America, the first woman's missionary society organized, with members representing nearly every shade of religious feeling. Mrs. Henry Johnson presided, and nearly all the speakers appealed for greater financial assistance, if the work is not to be curtailed.

ROBBERY.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

various stations to which they had been consigned.

Detectives of the express and railroad companies were hurried to the scene of the robbery and are now engaged in eager pursuit of the criminals.

CAPTURE OF SUSPECT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Jan. 21.—A man's hat was found in the vicinity of the stolen safe today. After the robbery, a man about 30 years of age bought a hat from a section man. On the arrival of the south-bound train this afternoon he was arrested at the depot here and identified by the section man. It is believed that the robber has been caught. A hearing will be given the suspect.

MESSENGER'S STATEMENT.
HOLE CUT IN CAR DOOR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—On the arrival of the train in this city, Messenger Sullivan told the story of the robbery to Yardmaster Percival. He said that shortly after the train left San Luis Obispo, on its way north, he left the express car, and, in the discharge of his duties, went into the baggage car immediately behind it. His helper was in a compartment of one of the cars. While the express car was thus temporarily vacant, the thieves, possibly bodes who had been stealing a ride, cut a hole in the front-end door and entered. They then forced open the side door, threw out the safe and presumably jumped after it. This was an easy matter, as the train was moving very slowly on an upgrade.

None of the passengers or trainmen saw the crime committed, nor did the express messenger know of the robbery until, on returning to the express car, he missed the safe. At first it was reported that the train had been held up, and considerable anxiety was manifested regarding the safety of those on board, but this rumor was soon proved to be unfounded.

There were two safes on the train, "Ps of which is locked at New Orleans, the other being a depository for local valuables, which seldom contains more than $1500. It was the latter safe that was stolen.

Manager Langtry of the express company's southern business, stated today that the amount in coin in the stolen safe was not over $300, but there were valuable papers there also. He says the papers were of a nature that could not be duplicated, as they were documents between the express company and the Southern Pacific Company.

R. Montgomery, assistant to Manager Agler of the Southern Pacific Company, said that near the safe when found were two mail pouches of papers which had been thrown out of the express car by the robbers. He stated that these pouches should not have been in the express car, and it was a mystery how they came there.

At the office of Wells, Fargo & Co. in this city little information regarding the robbery was obtainable. It was admitted that the safe of Messenger Sullivan had been taken during his temporary absence from the car, but regarding the details of the affair the officials of the company were reticent. The report that the amount taken aggregated about $30,000 was denied, and the statement was made that the contents of the purloined safe were of little value. No definite figures, however, were obtainable.

SUPERINTENDENT WILDER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN JOSE, Jan. 21.—Superintendent Wilder of the Southern Pacific Coast Line was in San José today. In an interview, he stated that he had been informed that the Wells, Fargo safe had been stolen from the northbound Coast Line Limited train early this morning, somewhere near Paso Robles. He said he had no knowledge as to the amount of booty secured. Detectives from San Francisco passed through San José at 8:30 o'clock this morning bound for the scene of the robbery.

SAN ARDO'S VERSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN ARDO, Jan. 21.—The robbery of the Sunset Limited train occurred on the Cuesta grade between tunnels Nos. 6 and 7. The engineer is reported to have seen a man on the front part of the engine, who suddenly disappeared. He, with confederates, is supposed to have observed the express messenger, who was also the baggageman, leave the car for a short time, and entered by the end door. They threw off the local safe and jumped. When the safe was missed an alarm was sent out from Santa Margarita. This morning the safe was found near the latter place, rifled of its contents. The detectives of the Southern Pacific Company and Wells, Fargo Company are now at the scene. The robbers are supposed to have left the engine and tender at San Luis Obispo.

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LOSS IS SMALL, COMPANY SAYS.

LOCAL EXPRESS AGENT DECLARES IT DOESN'T PAY

Looting of Treasure Was Accomplished in a Locality Peculiarly Suited to Such a Deed of Outlawry. Heavy Up-grade in Mountains.

If it was the Los Angeles-San Francisco safe which the express robbers threw off the car of the north-bound Southern Pacific train yesterday morning on the grade north of San Luis Obispo and if there were more than one robber, they got little for their trouble, considering the risk they were obliged to run. This was the statement made yesterday at the local offices of Wells, Fargo & Co. It would have been practically impossible for any two men to remove one of the big through safes containing treasure en route from New Orleans to San Francisco.

"There was a time when almost every limited train traversing this part of the country carried in the express car a good-sized fortune in cash," said Agent Campbell of the Wells, Fargo Company yesterday. "When I first entered this service it was an unusual thing for a night to pass without my having at least $40,000 or $50,000 in charge and some nights the amount was many times that. Now it is different. The express companies are not called upon now as they were formerly to carry such large sums of money. There are other means of transporting it and one of the favorite methods is to simply transfer credits in the banks and send those transfers in the form of bank drafts instead of sending the cash.

"It would not be proper for me to state the amount of money we had in that north-bound box, but I can say positively that the amount was not sufficiently large to make it worth taking the chances to secure it. All this talk about there being $50,000 or even $10,000 in that safe is bosh.

"You perhaps have noticed that there have been fewer and fewer express robberies each year. The reason is that such thefts have not yielded sufficient returns in the past to make it worth while for a man who once commits a robbery to repeat the crime. The penalties in most States are very severe; in some places it is death. Again, this company has messengers who will shoot if opportunity is afforded, and therefore the business of express robbery has not increased in popularity. When criminals begin to realize that they will only get a few hundred dollars from the commission of such crimes, they will hesitate before taking the chances which repose in a messenger's sawed-off shotgun or in a stiff sentence from a court."

The robbery of the express car is a unique case in the annals of such crimes in the West. The place where it was committed is ideal for the success of such a crime and the conditions favored the thieves to a degree which was evidently to their liking. On the grade north of San Luis Obispo, north-bound trains creep along at a speed which makes it safe and easy for active men to leap from the train almost at any point south of the summit. Helper engines are used, for without them no locomotive could pull a heavy train to the top of the grade. In numerous places, the road skirts deep cañons, and a heavy express safe dropped off a train at such a place would roll many hundred yards to the bottom of a cañon.

Information received by the Los Angeles police about the robbery leads to the belief that there were two robbers on the train; that one of them first entered the express car while the express messenger was in the other car and then, when his companion followed, they threw off the safe at a place where other members of the gang were waiting. Then they closed the door of the car and leaped off, which they could do with safety, and, returning to the place where they had thrown the safe, blew it open and rifled the contents. It was pointed out yesterday by the Los Angeles officials of the express company that had there been any large amount in the car, the company would have had either an extra messenger on duty or would have had a guard on that car to look after the treasure.

At this season of the year the business of transporting money is not as heavy as during other seasons, although it is admitted that the East is sending California more money than is being sent from this State. The express company will offer the usual rewards for the return of the property and the capture of any or all of the thieves.

KANSAS DEMOCRATS.

TOPEKA (Kan.) Jan. 21.—The Democratic State Committee met here tonight and called a State convention to meet at Wichita, April 7. No attempt was made tonight to indorse any Presidential candidate. The prevailing sentiment was against fusion with the Populists.

BY ESPEE BONDS TO MARKET ABROAD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Speyer & Co. and Kuhn, Loeb & Co., have jointly purchased $8,000,000 Southern Pacific 4½ per cent. 3 to 10-year coupon bonds. These bonds are a portion of the authorized issue of $100,000,000 bonds of 1906. It is understood that a large proportion of the bonds purchased today will be sold abroad.

According to the terms of the mortgage the $250,000,000 of bonds of which $100,000,000 sold today are a part, are issued for betterments or equipment of proprietary or subsidiary companies.

MILLS IN ASCENDENCY.

ALEXANDRIA BAY'S NEW HEAD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BELLINGHAM, (Wash.) Jan. 21.—Advices have been received here from San Francisco announcing the election of P. B. Cornwall from the city of the Bellingham Bay and British Columbia Railway and the Pacific Coast Coal Company, the corporation owning and operating the Blanchard coal mines in King county, and the election in his stead of H. P. Taylor.

It is understood here that the interests of D. O. Mills in the railroad company are in the ascendency. H. H. Taylor, the new president of the company, is his nephew and Pacific Coast representative, and his election to the presidency is believed to indicate that the Bellingham Bay and British Columbia road is to be extended to Spokane for connection there with the Union Pacific, in which company Mills is a large stockholder.

RAILROAD MEN IN CONTEMPT.

DIDN'T ASK CURTAILMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DENVER (Co.) Jan. 21.—Samuel M. Perry, president, and W. A. Bearbower, chief engineer, of the Denver and Northwestern Railway Company, were today summoned to appear before Judge Hallett in the Federal Court next Saturday to answer to the charge of contempt of court in constructing track across the right of way of the Denver, Leadwood and Golden Railroad in the city of Golden. The last named road is in the hands of a receiver appointed by Judge Hallett, who was not consulted by the Denver and Northwestern officials before making the crossing.

"THE TIMES" FORM CHART.

THE OFFICIAL CHART OF THE LOS ANGELES JOCKEY CLUB.

ASCOT PARK, Thursday, January 21, 1904. Twenty-fifth day. Weather fine. Track good. A. W. Hamilton, presiding judge. J. Hot Shot, starter.

5804 FIRST RACE—One mile. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $325.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
5775	Tax Man, 5 (Pinkney)	110	1	1½	1½	1½	1½	1½	Robertson	5	5
5804	Rio Chico, 4 (A. Harris)	110	4	3½	3½	2½	2½	2nk	R. Scot	10	15
5776	Laughter, 5 (P. Mc Do...)	110	2	2½	2½	3½	3½	3½	Alderson	3	3
5795	Ric, 4 (W. ...)	110	3	4½	4½	4½	4½	4½	J. Lewis	10	10
5741	Legal Maxim, 6 (Jones)	110	5	5	5	5	5	5	Lawrence	20	1-4
5804	Cambrico, 4 (Gilbert)	101	6	6	6	6	6	6	E. Walsh	1-2	1-4
5804	Sea Air, 3 (C. Kerr)	101	7	7	7	7	7	7	Burton	15	10
5775	Ping, 4 (Hegarty & Co.)	110	8	8	8	8	8	8	Pickler	20	20

At post 1 min. Off at 1:31. Time—0:24½, 0:49½, 1:04, 1:42½.
Tax Man place 5, show 1.75; Chico place 1, show 1; Jingler show 1-2.
Winner b. h. by Magician-Annona. Trained by J. Robertson.
Scratched—Schwarzwald, Floodish.
Start good.

5805 SECOND RACE—Three furlongs. Selling. Two-year-olds. Value to first, $275.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
5797	Brown Study, 2 (McLemore)	97	3	.....	.....	.....	1½	1nk	E. Walsh	5	5
...	Winner br. g. by Pontiac-Quandary. Trained by W. McLemore.								J. Bonner	3-4	3-4
5781	Illiona (L. A. Bonsack)	116	2	.....	.....	.....	2½	2½	W. Adams	3	1
5804	Ella Lowe (W. W. L...)	102	4	.....	.....	.....	3½	3½	F. Prill jr.	5	2
5804	Jerome (T. Dunne)	116	1	.....	.....	.....	4½	4½	Spencer	15	10
5804	Mary Stephens (J. Curl)	110	5	.....	.....	.....	5	5	Waterbury	15	10

Start good. Won first three driving hard.

5806 THIRD RACE—One and one-quarter miles. Hurdle. Handicap. Four-year-olds and upward to start. $ 3.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	Std.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
5795	Cambaceres, 4 (Gilbert)	135	4	1½	1½	1½	1½	1½	Richards	4	7
...	...	135	3	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	Sutherland	3-5	1
5795	Indian II, 5 (G. Cochran)	140	2	3½	3½	3½	3½	Fell	Heir Apparent	3	2
5795	Ceylon, 4 (H. Filp...)	140	1	Fell					McHugh	3	1
...	...	135	5	Fell					Lardan	3	10

Start good. Won easing. Second and third coming up.

5807 FOURTH RACE—Slauson course. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $ 25.

Index.	Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
5804	Andrattus, 6 (J. Bliste)	107	1	.....	2½	2½	1½	1½	Redfern	8	10
5775	... 4 (G...n Co.)	104	2	.....	3½	3½

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Noonday Meeting.

The last noonday prayer meeting of the week will be held at the Bible Institute, on South Broadway, today, led by Rev. Dana W. Bartlett. The meetings will be continued through next week.

Brig.-Gen. Story.

Brig.-Gen. John P. Story, U.S.A., whose appointment as chief of artillery, succeeding Gen. Randolph, was reported from Washington yesterday, is a brother of F. Q. Story of this city. As Col. Story, he was a frequent visitor to Los Angeles.

Old Burglary.

S. J. Villalotis was arrested yesterday by Detectives Dixon and Smith and will be prosecuted on a charge of burglary. It is alleged he broke into the room of L. W. Williams of Pasadena avenue and avenue 40 on October 27 and stole a fine overcoat and other articles.

Work of Volunteers.

During the past nine months the Volunteers of America, under Capt. William Hughes and his assistants, held 362 indoor meetings and 254 outdoor. They visited 161 homes, secured employment for 396 persons and gave $1121.35 to charity. They claim 363 conversions, and added thirty-two members to the post.

Young Lawyers.

The members of the Young Lawyers' Club gathered about the banquet board at Levy's last night, and concluded the evening with a regular monthly business session. The address of the evening was made by J. W. McKinley, on "Concentration of Thought." A. L. Stephens, president of the club, presided.

Another Orpheum.

Word was received by the management of the local Orpheum yesterday that the California vaudeville magnates have secured ground at Minneapolis, on which to construct another theater for the Orpheum circuit. This powerful organization is now interested in fourteen theaters throughout the west, directly controlling eight.

Casino Change.

Another change was effected yesterday among the principals of the Casino Theater, William A. Inman of New York, playing with "The Head Waiters" at the Grand Operahouse, being secured as character comedian. Next week Joseph Dailey retires, waiting until the reappearance of the Neill-Morosco company before playing again.

Steak Well Cooked.

Mrs. Willard of No. 1311 South Flower street put a steak on the fire about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon while preparing her evening meal, forgot about it and went to the house of a neighbor. The steak cooked thoroughly and then burned, filling the house with smoke. A passer-by turned in a fire alarm.

East Ninth Street Meeting.

There will be a rally of East Ninth-street residents tonight at the Episcopal Church, corner East Ninth and Wilson streets, to discuss further the street-car transfer question that has so vexed that neighborhood. The Mayor, City Attorney and members of the City Council have been invited to attend. The committee appointed to present the grievance of the citizens to the railroad officials and the Council will report.

Baptist Young People.

The Baptist Young People's Union of Orchard Avenue Baptist Church will give an informal reception at the church tonight to the other Baptist Young People's societies of the city and visiting Baptists. An interesting programme has been prepared, and refreshments will be served in the church parlors. Mrs. M. S. Howes of Whittier and Dr. Ray Palmer of this city will speak.

Pomona Water Case Heard.

The case of the Consolidated Water Company of Pomona against the city of Pomona, wherein plaintiff seeks to obtain an injunction restraining defendant from enforcing a water-rate ordinance passed by the City Board of Trustees of Pomona last March, came up for hearing before Judge Ross in the United States Circuit Court yesterday. The grounds in which action was brought were fully explained in The Times of yesterday. City Attorney Loucks of Pomona occupied the major portion of the session in presenting argument in behalf of the city.

Maps and Moving.

The Chamber of Commerce has issued its 1904 map of the city, complete in detail, including an index of streets. It is printed in such form as to be convenient to carry in the pocket, and copies may be had by applying at the Chamber. The exhibits in the chamber are rapidly being set up in the new building, and persons having exhibits in the old hall who have not made arrangements for space in the other quarters, or who wish to enlarge their displays, are requested to call on the secretary at once.

Home Company Sued.

Mrs. P. L. Channel of Strawn, Kan., has filed a suit for damages in the United States Circuit Court against the Home Telephone Company as the result of the accidental death of her son, Carl Francis Hunt, September 8, while employed as a lineman. He experienced an electric shock while working in mid-air on one of the company's poles, and when picked up was dead. The complaint alleges that the accident was due to negligence on the part of defendant in not supplying deceased with a safe place on which to work. Damages of $25,000 are sought. William Wylie is attorney for plaintiff.

Electrical Engineers Dine.

An interesting monthly meeting of the Electrical Engineers' Club was held last night, following a sociable dinner spread at Levy's. The speaker of the evening was W. S. Moody of the General Electric Company of Schenectady, N. Y., who addressed the gathering on "The Manufacture of Transformers." The club considered itself especially fortunate in having Mr. Moody at the meeting, as he is one of the country's best experts in his line. President O. H. Ensign of the club presided, and some forty members were present.

Pico Heights Fire Changes.

Chief strohm and Fire Commissioner Yates were at Pico Heights superintending the removal of hose company No. 3 from El Molino street to its temporary quarters with hose company No. 2 on Winfield street, between Union and Valencia. The present building will be remodeled and a fire engine and hose wagon put in. The new station will be known as engine company, No. 14. For the time being Pico Heights will be without a fire force, but the citizens of the district covered by hose company No. 3 need feel no alarm, as that part of the city will be covered by engine company No. 11 of Westlake, Winfield hose company Nos. 2 and 3, and the Jefferson and McClintock-street station.

BREVITIES.

Real estate advertisers and others hereafter, all real estate and other classified "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday night in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "Liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

Telephone your "Want" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset, Press 1; Home, Exchange 2.

Schedule of cooking classes at Y.W.C.A. for new term opening next week. First course, Monday 9:30 a.m.; Friday 7 p.m.; second course, Wednesday 10 a.m.; chafing dish, Monday 11:30; Wednesday 6:30.

First Congregational orchestra concert tonight. J. B. Poulin, soloist, and others. Temple Baptist Church, Sixth and Hill. Admission 25 cents. Subscription tickets can be obtained at the door.

New classes in spring millinery at Y.W.C.A. open next week: Monday, 2 p.m.; Friday, 2 p.m.; Friday, 7:15 p.m.

Beginners' classes in physical education at Y.W.C.A. open next week: Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.; Friday, 7:30 p.m.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph Cable Company for George E. Hyde, Gene Donnelly.

Reduced rates household goods to and from East. Bekins Van & Stg., 346 South Broadway.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Co. for Charles Stewart, card Alex. Stewart, S. H. Vaughn, Mrs. Rosie Frank, W. R. Miller, William H. Parks, E. W. Kidder, H. C. Brice, Palm Oil Co., Gen. M. D. Ludington, Mrs. Ettie Hubbard, Henry Doerges, J. R. Smith, M. B. Copeland, Mrs. Charles Reines, B. M. Baruch, G. Hardy Wright, F. A. Cutler, John Au, Miss Fannie Hooper, De La Torr.

Bruce B. Oller of St. Louis arrived yesterday on a visit. Mr. Oller is a stockholder in the Nevada-Keystone Mining Company, operating in southwestern Nevada, and will go to the property for an inspection.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Stacey F. Catey, aged 33, a native of Indiana, and Thusnelda Berner, aged 27, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

George Metcalf, aged 24, a native of California, and a resident of El Monte, and Muriel L. Anderson, 22, a native of Canada, and a resident of San Dimas.

Edwin C. Smith, aged 23, a native of Iowa, and Amelia L. Schlador, aged 22, a native of Texas; both residents of Los Angeles.

John P. McGowan, aged 30, a native of Illinois, and Lillie Siringo, aged 31, a native of Michigan; both residents of Los Angeles.

Pasquale Gravino, aged 30, a native of Italy, and Julia Destefano, aged 16, a native of Italy; both residents of Los Angeles.

William T. Seawright, aged 28, a native of Georgia, and Karn B. Hendrix, aged 28, a native of Norway; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

MONAHAN—At his late residence, No. 462 Custer avenue, Los Angeles, Cal., January 29, 1904, Augustus H. Monahan, aged 34 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Monahan, and brother of Mrs. James H. Wagner of Santa Barbara. Funeral Friday morning. Private. (Cleveland and New York papers please copy.)

SOMERS—January 28, 1904, at the residence of her parents, William L. and Pearl Somers, No. 1241 West Thirty-first, Emily Roberts Somers, aged 13 years 21 days. Funeral Friday, January 29, at 1 p.m.

IRVINE—At No. 321 Lake street, Los Angeles, January 28, 1904, Maj. Javan B. Irvine, U. S. Army (retired,) aged 72 years 9 months. Funeral services at Immanuel Presbyterian Church, Friday, 2 p.m. All friends invited. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

VALLE—Mrs. Rosa Veltheyen, beloved wife of M. E. Valle. Funeral Saturday, 9 a.m. from the Cathedral. (San Bernardino papers please copy.)

[illegible]—At his late residence, 233 East Fifth street, Norman B. York, aged 65 years. Funeral Sunday, January 31, at 2 p.m., from the parlors of Booth & Bryson, 453 South Spring street. Friends invited.

MCCOY—At his late residence, No. 2311 South Main street, January 21, 1904, Isaac McCoy, father of Dr. Thomas J. McCoy, Mrs. F. K. Craft and Mrs. A. M. Hadley aged 73 years. Funeral at parlors of Breese Bros., Broadway and Sixth, Sunday, at 2 p.m.

GOFF—In Los Angeles, January 28, 1904, George W. Goff. Funeral at Breese Bros., Broadway and Sixth, Saturday, at 10 a.m.

RAMSDALL—Alfred Wilbur, infant son of John and Sadie A. Ramsdale. Funeral private, Friday (today,) 2 p.m., from family residence, 2501 West Pico street.

MILLER—In this city, January 30, H. C. Miller, of 624 Macy street, father of Frank Miller and Mrs. J. E. Bright, aged 61 years. Funeral from the parlors of Peck & Chase Co., 437 South Hill street, today, at 3 p.m. Friends invited.

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$25.00 Suits and Overcoats	$18.75
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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 36 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. At midnight the temperature was 45 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 8 a.m. the temperature was 45 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; becoming cloudy at night; heavy frost in the morning; light north winds. Citrus-fruit growers should be ready to smudge.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy; light easterly winds.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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WILD FLOOD WATERS AND ICY BLIZZARDS.

Eastern Cities Menaced by Overflow of Swollen Rivers.

Half of Hancock County, Ohio, Submerged, With Resultant Loss of a Million Dollars—Meadville, Pa., in Remorseless Grasp—Eight People Freeze to Death in Maine—Trains Stalled by Snow.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FINDLAY (O.), Jan. 21. [Exclusive Dispatch.]—Hancock county is suffering the worst flood in its history. Half of the county is under water. Three children were drowned today. The property loss is $1,000,000.

The main thoroughfares are covered with water to a depth of three feet, and all factories and business houses along Blanchard River have been closed.

It is feared that the mammoth Davis Morrison block will be destroyed, as ice is tearing out the foundations. All railroad traffic is suspended. Five near-by bridges have gone down.

Still greater trouble is to come, as there is heavy rain falling, and the ice gorge at the dam is breaking.

SERIOUS AROUND PITTSBURGH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Jan. 21—[Exclusive Dispatch] The flood situation has become serious. The warmer weather, with rain for 24 hours, has flooded the tributary streams to the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers and both streams are rising fast. Davis Island dam reported a stage of nearly seven feet at 6:30 o'clock. Indications are that the gorges in the Allegheny will break first. This is unprecedented in the history of the two rivers, as the Monongahela, coming from the south, is generally affected first by warmer temperature.

The gorges in the Allegheny are expected to break with another foot of water, and it is thought this will grind up before passing Pittsburgh and run out with little danger.

Forecaster Ridgeway says: "I don't expect the gorges to break before noon tomorrow. The snow is acting as a sponge and holding considerable water, and once it starts, we will have a serious flood stage."

All river places have been notified to prepare for a 20-foot stage by daylight, and all boats in the harbor have steam up and crews ready for emergency.

At Meadville, a serious flood is raging, and the fire department is making efforts to save property.

The railroads report heavy damage along the Ohio. At Sharon, the east-bound tracks of the Pennsylvania road are six inches under water, while the west-bound tracks are submerged fourteen inches.

PENSYLVANIA FLOOD.

MEADVILLE IN ITS GRASP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MEADVILLE (Pa.) Jan. 21.—This city is in the grasp of the worst flood in its history. The entire fire department has been called out to assist in saving property. An ice gorge on Mill Run caused that stream to overflow today, and portions of Water street were submerged. The water got into a number of stores and dwellings.

DYING OF COLD.

TERRIBLE REPORTS FROM MAINE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Trains from the North and West came in, twelve hours late tonight, with engines and cars covered with ice and snow. It rained early tonight, and later, the thermometer fell low enough for a freeze, resulting in sleet everywhere, interrupting electric traffic all over this city and in New Jersey and Pennsylvania. Telegraph and telephone wires are badly crippled.

In the northern part of New York, New Hampshire, Vermont and Maine, the thermometer tonight ranged from 10 to 35 deg. below, and a strong wind piled snow onto railroad tracks in the cuts, causing delay to trains.

Up in Maine, reports of persons being frozen to death are coming in, and the total this far reaches eight.

In Canada, the cold wave is severe, but the people were prepared for it and no great suffering was caused.

TERRIFIC NORTHWESTERN GALE.

TWO LAKE STEAMERS FAST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With the most terrible gale of the season blowing out of the Northwest and with only provisions enough to last a few hours, two big passenger steamers on the Goodrich line, plying between here and Milwaukee, with more than three hundred passengers on board, are stuck fast in the ice off Waukegan, with no prospects of immediate release.

To add to the peril of the big boats, they are in the midst of the impenetrable fog which enveloped this whole section for a radius of fifty miles this afternoon and turned daylight into darkness almost as black as night.

Four other steamers of smaller proportions are also reported as stuck in the ice off the west shore of the lake. The dense fog is the prime cause of the predicament. It came so suddenly that the boats lost their course, and before they were aware of it, they were in the middle of big ice fields off shore. Repeatedly, the steamer screws plunged and churned, but all effort to gain an outlet from the immense windrows of ice were unavailing. Then signals of distress were sounded. Tugs which went to their assistance were unable to get nearer than within a mile of the distressed crafts.

The two Goodrich line steamers, the Iowa and Georgia, run all winter, making round trips every two days. As near as can be ascertained by rescuing parties, they are within five miles of each other. The other boats stuck in the ice are the City of Marquette off Hill line, the Pere Marquette car ferry No. 20, the City of Racine and the Pathfinder, a private yacht. Each has a dozen or more passengers aboard.

Reports from all sections of the Middle West indicate that the loss from floods caused by the heavy rains and melting snow will be enormous. The conditions are particularly critical in Indiana and Ohio. Ice in the streams has formed in great gorges, and at half a dozen towns dynamite has been resorted to to blast them out, for it is believed that if the flood should accumulate any longer, the towns would be swept away when the gorges broke of their own weight. Hundreds of families have been driven from their homes, and there are many rumors of loss of life which cannot be verified.

Reports at police headquarters at Findlay, O., show that 180 families have been rescued from drowning, and as many more are praying for help.

LATER.—It is reported that the Georgia has been released and is on her way here.

OHIO ICE GORGES.

BREAK NEAR CINCINNATI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Jan. 21.—The large ice gorge in the Ohio River between Ludlow, Ky., and the western part of the city gave way today. As it was below the Cincinnati Harbor, no damage was done here, but lower points have been warned.

MIAMI VALLEY FLOODED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DAYTON, Jan. 21.—An ice gorge, house-top high, has formed in the Miami River north of this city, and serious results are threatened. Sections of the Miami Valley south of the city are flooded.

BIG FOUR LOSES BRIDGE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANDUSKY, Jan. 21.—During the day an ice gorge formed on the Mills Creek and a bridge of the Big Four was carried away. The gorge did much damage. It was blown out with dynamite.

TRAIN SERVICE ABANDONED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HAMILTON, Jan. 21.—The Miami River left its banks today and is rising rapidly. The water inundated the tracks of the Cincinnati, Dayton and Toledo Traction Company in two places, and through service from Cincinnati to Dayton has been abandoned. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad depot at North Hamilton was cut off and abandoned.

INDIANA'S SWOLLEN RIVERS.

PERU UNDER THE WABASH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LAFAYETTE (Ind.) Jan. 21.—The Wabash River has risen [illegible] since midnight last night, destroying all the small boats, flooding the cellars and flooding the cellars. Peru, a suburb, is four feet under water. Much stock has been destroyed.

GORGE THIRTY FEET HIGH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CANNELTON (Ind.) Jan. 21.—Ice has gorged at Wolf Creek, thirty miles from here. The gorge is reported to be thirty feet in height in places and to extend up the river thirty-six miles. A warm rain is falling, and it will, it is believed, break the gorge within twenty-four hours.

OVERFLOW AT LOGANSPORT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LOGANSPORT, Jan. 21.—Ice began moving out of the Wabash River today doing much damage to property. The gorge broke near the Market-street bridge and water overflowed Eel avenue, filling the cellars and basements of the residences along that street. Riverside Park was converted into a lake, and many families left their homes, fearing their houses would be swept away.

MINNESOTA SNOWSTORM.

HEAVIEST IN MANY YEARS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PAUL, Jan. 21.—The heaviest snowstorm of the winter in Minnesota began today, and for a distance of 100 miles south of the Iowa line, the worst sleet storm in years prevailed. The Twin Cities were cut off from telegraphic communication with the South and East for several hours today. Trains from the West were several hours late.

SNOW DRIFTS IN WISCONSIN.

RACINE PASSENGERS DUG OUT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RACINE (Wis.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Passengers on the interurban cars between this city, Kenosha and Milwaukee spent almost the entire night in cars along the line. Some cars were stalled in snow drifts, and remained on the tracks, while other cars jumped the track. Snowplows and men were sent to the rescue, but not until 4 o'clock this morning were the cars and passengers released.

One car with nine passengers left Milwaukee at 2:30 o'clock this morning. The car was 12 miles north of Racine, but it was not released until 3 o'clock this afternoon.

TRAINS AND STEAMERS BOUND.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Jan. 21.—Snowdrifts are ten feet high today in Racine, as a result of the blizzard that raged all of last night throughout southern Wisconsin. The snow was blown into huge drifts that packed solidly, causing considerable interruption to electric-railway traffic in the different towns. Cars were stalled in many places, and railroad trains are delayed.

The Goodrich Transportation Company's steamer Georgia, which left for Chicago last night, is icebound more than a mile out in the lake, with a number of passengers on board. The field of ice extends out as far as the eye can reach. Off Kenosha the steamer City of Marquette, bound for Chicago, is still stuck in the ice. That vessel is resting easy, and no one is suffering for want of anything.

The steamer Georgia was released this afternoon, and proceeded to Chicago.

RAINS IN ILLINOIS.

PEORIA LOWLANDERS FLEE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PEORIA (Ill.) Jan. 21.—The heavy rains of the last two days have sent all the streams in this vicinity out of their banks. Persons in the lowlands near East Peoria have been driven out.

IOWA BOTTOMS FLOOD.

MISSOURI LANDS AFFECTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KEOKUK (Iowa) Jan. 21.—A repetition of last summer's flood seems probable. A gorge has formed at the mouth of the Des Moines River and the water has backed up on miles of lowlands in the Missouri and Iowa bottoms. The Fox River has overflowed its banks.

Indian Grave levee, two miles south of here on the Mississippi, and the Linna Lake levee broke today, causing heavy losses to farmers having land in wheat.

The ice still holds in the Mississippi River, but the water has risen two feet in twenty-four hours.

SOUTHWESTERN STATES.

TEXAS WIND ALMOST TORNADO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) Jan. 21.—Severe rain and electrical storms prevailed last night and yesterday through Central and Southern States, crippling telegraph service and swelling streams beyond their banks. Telegraph communication is interrupted to that territory, and it is feared other damage has occurred.

Reports from Texas say that winds assuming proportion of a tornado swept from the mountain ranges to the West. At Austin, the new Woman's Building at the Texas University was unroofed, causing several thousands dollars' loss. Much damage was done to the outhouses, fencing and forestry. No one is reported injured.

DUMPS OFF THE SAFE.

Unknown Man Robs Espee Train.

Sunset Limited Express Car is Entered in Absence of the Messenger.

Battered Iron Box Found at Thyle Siding, in San Luis Obispo County.

About Seven Hundred Dollars Taken—Suspect in Custody.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By crouching on the front platform and watching through a keyhole for a favorable opportunity and then acting quickly when the express messenger had accidently withdrawn to and locomotive hour in the next car, a bold train robber forced the vestibule entrance facing the tender on the north-bound Sunset Limited, at the spur siding called Thyle, a few minutes after 12 o'clock Wednesday night, entered the express compartment unharmed the front side door, dumped off the portable safe, and jumped off. Thyle is twelve miles above San Luis Obispo, and the hammered and rifled from here was found there this morning.

Not until the train was about to leave Paso Robles, thirty-six miles north of San Luis Obispo, did the messenger have occasion to register the forward express car. Then he unscrewed the open door, missed the small iron trunk. It promptly notified the station agent, who, in turn, telegraphed a warning back along the line to have officers and trainmen put on the alert for clews.

The Wells-Fargo express officials positively declare that the box contained but a comparatively small sum of money, anywhere from $50 to $700.

Harry Tracy, Deputy Sheriff Charles Hankinson, in charge of the fruit train coming up from San Luis Obispo found the missing box close beside the track at Thyle spur. He had been instructed to keep a close lookout for any sign of the robbers. He took the safe aboard, conveyed it on to Santa Margarita, a few miles up the line, and turned it over to the custody of Station Agent Steeple. The box evidently had been hammered in on one side with a sledge or some heavy instrument. Only the money had been taken.

A dispatch from San Luis Obispo says: "The only development today in the express-car robbery of last night was the arrest of a stranger at the depot this afternoon who was on the point of boarding a passenger train. Just pulling out. His connection with the case came about through a derby hat which was found near the railroad track, not far from the scene of the robbery. It was learned that a stranger without a hat had bought one from a hobo, paying him $4 for it. The hobo was run down, and he identified the man who was afterwards arrested as the man who bought the hat from him during the day. The suspect purchased a new hat and disposed of the old one at a second-hand store. The stranger was watched, and when he attempted to board the train he was arrested. He refused to talk about himself."

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

WELLS-FARGO BEARS LOSS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—A mysterious and daring robbery was committed last night on the Sunset Limited train running from San Francisco to this city, but the criminal escaped. Of the hold-up class, being [illegible] the nature of a theft that [illegible] the elements of burglary. The [illegible] evidently planning to realize rich booty, was disappointed, for he did not secure over $700 in coin, the loss being borne by the Wells-Fargo Express Company.

The express car is of somewhat old-fashioned make, and has a platform in front adjoining the express compartment. It is believed that the thief, or thieves, kept concealed on this platform, and watching through the keyhole of the door for a favorable opportunity, forced a way through when Messenger Sullivan went to the adjoining car to attend to other duties. A side door of the car was then opened and the small iron safe, which could have easily been moved by a strong man, was thrown off. The thief or thieves then sprang off the train with safety, as the cars were running slowly on account of the grade.

The exact time and location of the crime was definitely determined later in the day, when Conductor Hankinson of a freight train found the stolen safe near Thyle, which is twelve miles above San Luis Obispo. The Sunset Limited passed the spot at 12:05 o'clock at night. The safe had been battered open with some heavy instrument, probably a sledge hammer. The thieves were careful to take nothing except money, and left all property that might prove incriminating, even leaving behind a costly solitaire diamond ring. Letters containing checks and valuable papers were opened, but their contents were not taken away.

The fact that less than $700 was stolen is explained by Messenger T. Sullivan, who said that he had taken most of the money packages out of the safe and concealed them where they could be handily passed out at the

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LOOKS GOOD TO ALL SAVE THE KOREANS.

More Peaceful Air Surrounding the Far Eastern Contestants.

Russia is Reported to Have Agreed to Japan's Views Concerning the Hermit Kingdom—Seven of the Latter's Ministers Have Resigned — Insurrection in the Southern Provinces is Threatened.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Acting Secretary Loomis has received cable advices from United States embassies at two of the European capitals, both stating in substance that the situation as to the Far East is more reassuring and that the chances for war between Russia and Japan have diminished. The Russian note, it is understood, will hold out considerable concession, but it is scarcely expected that a complete settlement of the great issues between Russia and Japan will be at once reached, and much further correspondence is looked for.

SEOUL, Jan. 21.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The city is quiet at present. Seven out of ten ministers of the Korean Cabinet have resigned, and four new ones have been appointed. They are all neutral, as regards the revival of the progressive independence clause which the government opposes. A serious insurrection is threatened in the southern provinces because of official oppression.

BLAMING YI YIUNG IK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Prompt action by the various nations in bringing guards here has done much, says a Herald dispatch from Seoul, Korea, to insure the safety of foreigners, but it is certai nthat danger still exists, only needing some unfortunate incident at this critical moment to start a riot, which would possibly be led by Korean soldiers.

The natives are generally devoted to the Americans. The small coterie of emporarily influential courtiers is opposed to them because of personal reasons. Minister Allen said: "These circumstances therefore indicated the advisability of providing a guard. The Americans are now amply protected, and I consider the conditions safe. The American guard is orderly and well liked."

The people largely blame Yi Yiung Ik, a powerful favorite of the Emperor, for the constantly increasing trouble and great distress throughout the country. His remarkable influence with the Emperor has alone prevented the opening of Wiju and other much-needed reforms.

Many petitions are being made to the Emperor for the favorite's execution or banishment, including one from the Prime Minister, and a powerful secret society, already formed and possessing more than three thousand members, has sworn to kill Yi Yiung Ik and two other favorite officials.

In the meantime a large consignment of cartridges and gunpowder has reached Seoul, consigned to Yi Yiung Ik. His followers are exceedingly numerous, including the ancient guild of Forung, to whom the Emperor has just issued 500 revolvers and swords.

Yi Manoga, formerly Chief Justice, has been arrested for informing the Emperor that in the event of war His Majesty would be probably dethroned in favor of Prince Euiwha, now in Washington.

ORDERED GOODNOW BACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 21.—Consul-General Goodnow of Shanghai, China, has hurriedly left for his post. He had been visiting relatives here, but developments in China have been such that the government ordered him to report to Shanghai as soon as possible.

GUARDING EUIWHA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Korean Minister at Washington and his staff are guarding zealously the whereabouts of Prince Euiwha, who, according to report, will replace his father on the throne after the Korean Emperor is dethroned. The Minister informed the Associated Press today that the Prince's movements necessarily were confidential for the present. The Prince has been attending college at Delaware, O., and it is learned from an attaché of the legation that he is expected in Washington this month.

RUSSIANS TI FIGHT RUSSIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

COLUMBUS (O.) Jan. 21.—Albert Baker, a young flour and feed dealer, declares that in the event of war between Russia and Japan, he and twenty of his countrymen now here will sail for Japan and tender their services against Russia.

"We are Russians," said he, "but we have no faith in the assurance of the Czar that our people will be protected in Russia."

THIBETANS TO FIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CALCUTTA, Jan. 21.—Reports from the British expedition to Thibet indicate that the Thibetans are likely to show fight. The native priests declare that they will appeal to Russia if the advance continues.

CONCESSIONS BY RUSSIA.

KOREA'S INTEGRITY ASSURED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 21.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A statement is published in London this morning, with an air of authority, to the effect that the question of a neutral zone has disappeared from the Russo-Japanese negotiations. Although it is impossible to confirm this statement, it agrees with other inspired statements that Russia has acquiesced to Japan's views regarding the integrity of Korea, and that the only trouble now remaining relates to Manchuria.

MANCHURIA IS RUSSIAN.

Special dispatches from St. Petersburg to the Daily Telegraph and Daily Mail assert that Russia's reply to the latest Japanese note was drawn up yesterday at a ministerial council at which the Czar presided. The tenor of this reply is courteous, but firm, according to M. Witte, president of the council of ministers. Nothing has been given out officially concerning this reply, but it is understood, according to messages from St. Petersburg, that Russia maintains that Manchuria must remain amenable politically and strategetically to Russian influence, the concessions made being only of a commercial character.

RUSSIA'S STRONGEST MEN.

PULLING HARD FOR PEACE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 21.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Foreign Office does not offer any indication of when the Russian reply to Japan will be ready. Some of the strongest men in the empire are working to secure a successful termination of the difficulty the main feature being a break-down of the negotiations, but they are meeting with opposition on the ground that the propositions which are acceptable to Japan do not preserve Russian pride.

The Listok says it expects the crisis to end in an understanding in the form of a treaty supplementary to the Russo-Japanese convention regarding Korea.

M. Kurino, the Japanese Minister, believes that the unfortunate tone of the foreign dispatches, including some from New York to London, tend to create irritation.

He deprecates the attempt of the Russian press to fly the flag of "yellow peril", and says: "The whole history of Japan since the restoration shows her aim and purpose to take her place on the plane of European civilization and become a world power, politically and commercially. Japan is not so narrow as to advocate 'Asia for the Asiatics.'"

TO CZAR AND MIKADO.

STEAD CABLES FOR PEACE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 21.—With reference to the ordinances adopted by the Japan privy council at the meeting of January 20, it was explained that Russian men-of-war have free access all along, even to the Japanese ports of Nagasaki and Hakodate, for coaling and other purposes. Japan, therefore, has taken precautionary measures looking to the possible necessity of putting a stop to such visits.

It is said that Japan's domestic loan will amount to $10,000,000, and that her ordinary disbursements already amount to $15,000,000.

Two identical cable dispatches originating with William T. Stead and W. R. Cremer, M.P., were sent out tonight to the Czar and the Mikado, urging these potentates, if diplomacy failed, to submit the Far Eastern dispute to The Hague tribunal. The messages are lengthy, and they appeal specially to the Czar, as "the courageous originator of The Hague conference," to take the initiative in referring the matter to The Hague.

The appeals are signed by sixty prominent English advocates of arbitration. Among the signers are all the members of the labor delegation in Parliament, Lord Avebury, Lord Rebhouse, the Marquis of Ripon, Frederick Harrison, George Meredith, Sir Gorst, Karl Gray, Rev. J. C. Clifford, Rev. R. J. Campbell and many labor leaders outside of Parliament.

EVANS OF OLONGAPO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Word has been received at the Navy Department of the arrival at Olongapo, Subig Bay, of Rear-Admiral Evans's battleship squadron, consisting of the Kentucky, Wisconsin and Oregon.

THE DOVE OF PEACE.

FLITTING AMONG POWERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Jan. 21.—[By Atlantic Cable.] It has been learned in official quarters that the International Peace Commission, having its headquarters at Berne, Switzerland, which is an adjunct of The Hague Arbitration Tribunal, has sent a circular note to the powers, asking for the adoption of means to secure a settlement of the Russo-Japanese controversy. The note has received serious attention from some of the governments, including, it is understood, that of Washington, which has taken steps to learn the attitude of the foreign governments toward the proposition. It is expected that France will not act upon the note, as Foreign Minister Delcasse has already taken what is considered to be most effective measures of exerting influence upon Russia.

United States Ambassador Porter called at the Foreign Office today and held a conference of three-quarters of an hour with Foreign Minister Delcasse. There is reason to believe that he call had no special significance, but it affords an opportunity to thoroughly go over the Russo-Japanese crisis.

Dr. Motono, the Japanese Minister, called shortly before Gen. Porter and had a long talk with M. Delcasse. The latter continues to exert his influence for the maintenance of peace. His talk with Dr. Motono brings out the impartial course France is pursuing, as the Foreign Minister is urging both sides to consider the horrors of war and to seek every means to avert an international tragedy. Among the points referred to during the talks was the American Civil War.

M. Delcasse's representations to Russia are considered as having great weight. Besides being strongly favorable to peace, it is understood that his representations are somewhat specific as to the means of permitting an adjustment profitable to both sides. Among the diplomats, M. Delcasse is referred to as being the most sagacious Foreign Minister in Europe. Therefore his counsels to Russia are considered likely to exercise a strong, and perhaps decisive, effect. These representations have been in progress for the last five days, and as M. Delcasse continues strongly hopeful, it is the general conclusion that his hopefulness has the solid basis of information from the highest Russian sources. However, there is no specific information beyond the Minister's steady insistence for peace and his staunch belief that the negotiations will have a pacific culmination.

THREE DEAD IN HOTEL EXPLOSION.

TWO FATALLY INJURED AND MANY SERIOUSLY HURT.

Pipe Line Laid Near Building Leaked, Filling Rooms With Gas Which Ignited from Jets When Walls Came Crashing Down.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MARION (Ind.) Jan. 21.—Three persons were burned to death, two were fatally hurt and ten were badly injured in a gas explosion that wrecked the Seitz Hotel here early today. The dead:

CHARLES BEITEL, proprietor of the hotel, and wife.

JAMES DEVLIN, proprietor of the café.

The seriously injured were guests of the hotel. The hotel was situated three miles from the center of the city. Natural gas is said to have escaped from a pipe line that passed near the building, the basement being filled, and when the rooms on the first floor began to fill with the gas, it was ignited by the jets. There were thirty guests at the hotel, all of whom were asleep.

The outer walls of the building, a two-story brick, were blown out, the second floor falling on the first. The guests were under the wreckage, which ignited at once, and rescuers had great difficulty in removing them. The gas could not be shut off, and added to the fury of the fire. The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Beitel were seen through the flames and wreckage for an hour before they could be recovered.

Fatally injured:

EDWARD GASKILL, oil well contractor.

L. H. ROBIE, oil well contractor.

Seriously injured:

THOMAS TWIGG.
RANDALL BIDDLE.
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COLOMBIANS FLUNK.

The Fiery Editors Now Urging the Country to Avoid a Disastrous War—Cartagena Can't Sell Her Eggs.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Mail advices received from Bogota indicate, according to a Herald dispatch from Panama, that the war feeling in Colombia is dying out, and there is a general desire to allow the Panama secession to pass without a disastrous war. Hitherto the newspapers of the capital have been filled with patriotic declarations that it would be necessary to have a war to reclaim the lost territory. Now all urge conciliation, or anything to avoid further serious complications.

Juan B. Perezmota, who has been agitating war with the United States by speeches and writings, is reported to have been placed under arrest.

From Cartagena comes the report of great financial depression and the desire to establish business relations with the Isthmus. Cartagena formerly had the main outlet for her poultry, eggs and hides in Colon. This port is now closed to Colombian trade, and there has been no substitute. Shipments made from Cartagena to the army at Atrata are at ruinous rates.

FRENCHMAN ADVISES WAR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Jan. 21.—Senator Morgan's bill, providing for the annexation of Panama to the United States, is being utilized as a weapon by the French opponents to the transfer of the canal concessions. George Thiebaud today bitterly assailed this movement, saying the Morgan proposition was only another step in the direction of arbitrary exploitation and violation of international law and rights of the people by the United States.

"If Colombia is not as energetic as Venezuela," he said, "she will not only lose her cause, but, will, little by little be absorbed."

M. Thiebaud advised Colombia to go to war.

BUNAU-VARILLA GRATIFIED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—M. Bunau-Varilla, the Minister from Panama, conferred with Acting Secretary of State Loomis today regarding the canal treaty situation in the Senate. It is a source of gratification to the Minister that it has been practically decided not to amend the treaty.

"KILL THE PRESIDENT," HIS STOMACH SAID.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—E. A. Early, a banker, who says that mystic influences were at work on him through the agency of his stomach, bidding him kill the President, was committed to Bellevue Hospital this morning for examination as to his sanity. He was arrested for writing a long rambling letter to Police Commissioner McAdoo, greeted the officers as "deliverers from his bondage," and said he felt the mysterious pains even in their presence and that the clock was affected by the spell.

"They are after me so bad now," he said, "that they want me to kill the President. I have a wonderful will power and have stood them off so far, but they are going at me through my stomach and I don't know what will happen."

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A 36-hour drizzle stopped tonight with colder temperature; maximum today was 40 degs.; minimum 26. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 22; Battleford, 6 below; Bismarck, 2; Cairo, 44; Cheyenne, 20; Cincinnati, 32; Cleveland, 42; Concordia, 12; Davenport, 28; Denver, 28; Des Moines, 29; Detroit, 30; Dodge, 28; Dubuque, 26; Duluth, 20; El Paso, 40; Edmonton, 12; Grand Rapids, 30; Green Bay, 18; Helena, 28; Huron, 6; Indianapolis, 48; Kansas City, 22; Lander, 22; Marquette, 18; Milwaukee, 32; Minnedosa, 2; Moorhead, 6; North Platte, 28; Omaha, 14; Pueblo, 22; Rapid City, 28; St. Louis, 36; St. Paul, 18; Sault Saint Marie, 10; Springfield, Ill., 34; Springfield, Mo., 28; Wichita, 24.

IN PERIL FROM MORMONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Milwaukee friends of Mrs. Marie Weed, W.C.T.U. lecturer whose life, it is claimed, has been threatened by elders of the Mormon Church in Chicago, asserts that she had a similar experience when lecturing in this city several weeks ago. Local workers in the temperance organization say that three Mormon elders attended her meetings here and spoke to her at the close of the evening lecture. The elders told Mrs. Weed not to repeat some of her statements about polygamy and Joseph Smith, using the words "We warn you never to repeat those statements again."

ELECTRICITY DROPS HORSES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fifty-nine horses in the stables of the National Brewing Company, in this city, were thrown to the floor in their stalls; two were killed outright, and a third so badly shocked that it had to be killed today, the result of an electric current communicated from the plant of an electric company which adjoins the stable. The current passed from a ground wire to the wet wooden floors.

"DOPE" IN NEBRASKA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Jan. 21.—The State penitentiary, it has been discovered, is a huge opium den. A startling number of convicts, it is declared, are addicted to the use of the drug, which is smuggled in to them not only by "trusties," but by prison contractors. The contractors, it is charged, supply the convicts with the "dope," because the men, when fully under the influence of the drug, do twice the amount of work. Warden Beemer declares he is powerless to check the evil.

HER PIPE HER DEATH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TERRE HAUTE (Ind.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Grandma Kelly, aged 91, at Farmersburg, was burned to death by her clothing taking fire from her pipe.

CROSSMAN'S GOLDEN WEDDING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JANESVILLE (Wis.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George Crossman and his wife today celebrated their golden wedding. Mr. Crossman's mother, who is 101 years old, was present at the celebration.

SHE THAWED OUT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WILKESBARRE (Pa.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The cold weather has served to hasten matrimony here. Miss Ida Baldorn of Hasleton was proposed to some time ago by Asa Shafer of Plymouth. The cold weather convinced her she should not delay, so she wrote. "Have come to the conclusion it would be a good idea for you and me to get married. The weather is too cold in this region." The thermometer was 18 below zero when the letter was written. They were married yesterday.

STUDENTS TORE THE ROOSTER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SIOUX CITY (Iowa) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sixty students of Morningside College, the educational institution fostered and controlled by the Northwest Iowa Methodist Conference, may be prosecuted by the local humane society on the charge of tearing a live rooster to pieces in a class scrap.

MANIAC CARTED OFF.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LA CROSSE (Wis.) Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After terrifying the neighbors by pursuing women and children for hours and attempting to kill horses and cattle upon the farms, John Sunderman, a raving maniac, a son of a prosperous farmer near Lansing, was arrested by an armed posse and taken to jail, bound to the bottom of a wagon.

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...ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] ...—An autopsy to... Daniel E. Callahan, ...in the middle of the ...Seattle yesterday ...ed. There is evi... blows on the head ...fore the skull, but ...on the brain. ...Monday thought to ...injury turned up to... and Callahan had ...books and acci...dentally ...

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...ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] ...Jan. 21.—A large ...held here tonight. ...entire county, to take ...the proposed joint ...with New Mex... were adopted ...unanimously against any ...the resolution to be ...were: ...In favor of State... believe we are ...dominated; yet, ...Chamber of Joint

...Statehood with New Mexico, we prefer Arizona to remain a territory indefinitely."

The many speakers all voiced the sentiment of Arizona—a State separate and alone or Arizona yet a Territory, the present system of vassalage a thousand times before dismemberment or a merger with New Mexico.

Mass meetings are being held in every county in Arizona protesting against joint Statehood.

NOT PROPERLY EQUIPPED.

CLALLAM LIFEBOATS AT FAULT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Jan. 21.—Capt. McIntosh, who had charge of a lifeboat of the Clallam, gave testimony today that the boat was not properly equipped. He and another witness gave instances of lifeboats and equipment having been borrowed by local steamers for the purpose of passing inspection.

Capt. Collister, inspector of hulls, testified to his inspection of the steamer. He said she was well-constructed and properly equipped.

DIDN'T EXPECT "FAIR DEAL."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE, Jan. 21.—Chief Engineer Delauney, of the wrecked steamer Clallam, declared before the Marine Board of Inquiry, now investigating the disaster, that he did not expect to get a fair deal. The statement was made when he was asked to accompany the board to the home of H. A. Spencer, a witness, who was ill, for the purpose of taking testimony. Delauney was asked to go along, as Inspector Turner said that he might have a fair show. It was in answer to this that the engineer said that he did not expect it. The investigation today adjourned until next Thursday morning.

VICTIMS OF THE RAIL.

MAN KILLED, WOMAN INJURED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—George Hershfeldt, a stableman, was killed tonight by a train of the local steam road running to the Cliff House. The engineer saw Hershfeldt lying across the track, but before the train could be checked the man was crushed to death The Coroner's jury believed Hershfeldt committed suicide.

AGED WOMAN STRUCK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STOCKTON, Jan. 21.—Mrs. D. C. Matteson, a pioneer resident of this city, was struck by a Southern Pacific train this evening as she was crossing Sacramento street and had her left hand and left foot so badly crushed that the foot had to be amputated above the ankle and the two fingers had to be removed. She is 75 years of age.

PACIFIC SLOPE POINTS.

SNOW IN ARIZONA MOUNTAINS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Jan. 21.—During the past two days this section has had unprecedented co... weather. Heavy snowfalls are reported i... the surrounding mountains. Snow is reported over ten feet deep on the foothills of Rincon, twenty miles south.

SNOW CLOSES LOGGING CAMP.

LOGGING INDUSTRY DELAYED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Jan. 21.—Every logging camp on the British Columbia coast is closed down on account of heavy snow fall. At many up-coast points the snow is from six inches to a foot deep along the shore line. It deepens rapidly toward the mountains and since Saturday last not a man has been at work in the woods. The men have not left the camps, as it is thought that warm weather will soon dissipate the snow.

OCEANIC STEAMSHIP FIGURES.

COMPANY STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oceanic Steamship Company, held today, the following Board of Directors was elected: Claus Spreckels, John D. Spreckels, Adolph Spreckels, Frederick Tillman, Jr., E. F. Preston, H. E. Bothin and W. D. K. Gibson.

President John D. Spreckels submitted his annual report, showing receipts and disbursements for the past year as follows: Receipts, $2,033,343; expenses, $2,362,173; expenses in excess of receipts, $328,929. The loss for the year preceding was $348,633; net loss on the year's operations, $234,673, as against a net loss of $349,303 for the year preceding.

The report stated that the outlook for the coming year was very favorable.

CALIFORNIA-MADE WILL.

IN HOPPER-DUNSMUIR CASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Jan. 21.—Much time was taken up today at the Hopper-Dunsmuir will case in the argument relative to the application for an amendment of the statement of the claim by plaintiff because the California laws may invalidate Dunsmuir's will, as the witnesses did not know its contents. Defendant's counsel stated that no will can be attacked in California a year after its probate and the trial judge said that plaintiffs had given Alexander Dunsmuir's residence as Victoria and the matter was for the British Columbia courts. Judge Drake refused the application for an amendment of the claim.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM THE WORLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Buckingham correspondent of the Central News wires that Mrs. Florence Maybrick is most cheerful over the prospect of early release. Her health and spirits are excellent.

"JOEY" AND THE EMPIRE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joseph Chamberlain, writing to an attorney of New South Wales, said that if the empire breaks up into atoms, each would be comparatively insignificant, powerless and uninteresting, but if it holds together it will be the most powerful civilizing influence of the world.

LOOKING AFTER ROCKEFELLER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prominent financiers believe that John D. Rockfeller's heavy buying of Northern Securities shares means that he will soon oust Morgan and assume control of the Northern Securities Company.

SARATOGA'S PRESIDENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William C. Whitney was elected tonight president of the Saratoga Racing Association.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two dispatches from European governments relating to the Far Eastern situation were received today at the State Department. No information was given out about them except that they were "of reassuring nature." The messages came in response to efforts which the Secretary has made to bring about an amicable understanding between Japan and Russia.

DONE WITH BUNAU-VARILLA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Officials of the administration are said to be anxious to dispense with the further service here of M. Bunau-Varilla as Minister from Panama. Reported dissatisfaction of the Panama government with him and allegations made regarding the alleged antecedents of the Minister have aroused a desire for his withdrawal.

BRYAN'S CONFIDENCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "The reorganisers will not be strong enough at St. Louis to make even a fight against the reaffirmation of the Kansas City platform. By the time the convention meets, I am confident that sentiment will be such that an indorsement of the platform will be a foregone conclusion." This is the aggressive declaration of William Jennings Bryan, made to the World tonight.

HEIRESS AND BAND LEADER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Edna Egan, heiress to $1,000,000 and the daughter of a wealthy manufacturer, will wed in May Eresta Vessalla, leader of the Italian Band, and her father, immediately after the ceremony, will hand to the groom $100,000 in gold to maintain himself in his new station with becoming dignity.

LAMBERJACK'S AMBITION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dominique Emilie Lamberjack, the French automobile driver, who, a few days ago, arrived in this country with his powerful racing car, has no particular desire to break records. It is his ambition to meet and defeat two men, W. K. Vanderbilt and Barney Oldfield, and the Frenchman believes he will accomplish it. He will race with them in Florida next week.

TARIFF LEAGUERS ASSAIL RECIPROCITY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The nineteenth annual meeting of the American Protective Tariff League was held today. The report of the secretary showed a membership of 873 in twenty-two different States. The election of officers resulted: President, Charles A. Moore, New York; first vice-president, Col. A. G. Payne, New York; second vice-president, Joseph E. Thorpp, Massachusetts; treasurer and general secretary, Wilbur F. Wakeman, New York. In the board of managers, D. M. Perry of Michigan succeeds Senator Francis E. Warren of Wyoming. The following Executive Committee was elected: William Barbour, New Jersey, chairman; Frank M. Chaney, Connecticut; Gov. Franklin Murphy, New Jersey; David L. Einstein, New York, and William F. Draper, Massachusetts.

The league unanimously adopted an address "To the Protectionists of the United States," which says:

"It may be that considerations of sentiment, or even of party expediency seem to party managers wiser guides in some particular emergency than rigid adherence to the national policy of protection. It may be that a party organization can take that view and act on it without injury to itself; but such a course can no more be pursued by an organization dedicated to the cause of protection than an individual can depart from the line of rectitude in order to benefit others.

"With imports of a billion dollars for 1903, being $26,000,000 above the highest mark previously reached and with exports amounting to $1,494,668,127 nearly $20,000,000 greater than the total for any previous year, we are unable to perceive the necessity for the abandonment of protection in order that our foreign trade may be increased. With a foreign trade aggregating $2,500,000,000 and steadily growing, it would seem that we are already getting a fair share of world traffic. But it must not be forgotten that our internal trade reaches $30,000,000,000 yearly. To the care and preservation of the great home market with its trade of thirty billions, protection stands especially committed.

"In annual meeting assembled, we reaffirm the position taken by the tariff league adopted January 15, 1903, and declare: That reciprocity in competitive products is unsound in principle, pernicious in practice and condemned by experience. It is contrary alike to the national policy of protection, to the fair treatment of domestic producers and to friendly relations with foreign countries. It is neither ethical nor economical, since it seeks to benefit some industries by the sacrifice of others. Reciprocity in competitive products is the policy of favoritism. It tends to array industry against industry, section against section at home, and to foment commercial retaliation and plan antagonism abroad. The true American policy is the protection of all the opportunities and possibilities of the American market for American enterprises and fair equal trade treatment for all other countries.

COLORADO TAPS HER FIRST OIL LAKE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

FLORENCE (Colo.) Jan. 21.—The United Oil Company, while drilling well No. 314, at Spindle Top Heights, three miles south of Florence, tapped the first lake of oil ever discovered in Colorado. The oil was encountered at a depth of 2775 feet and the well will have the production capacity of any six wells in this field.

General Manager Wallace announced that the oil in the new well had risen to within a few hundred feet of the surface and that 500 barrels per day could easily be pumped.

BIG PROFITS IN SUGAR.

American Trust's Surplus for the Year, Excluding Dividends, $2,690,000.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From an authoritative source it is learned that the average difference between raw and refined sugar during the year was .918 cents per pound. A liberal allowance for the cost of refining and all operating expenses would be .625 cents per pound. The net profit, therefore, per pound for the American Sugar Refining Company would be .293 cents. With a total production of 2,068,484,000 pounds, at a net profit of .293 cents per pound, the net earnings of the company for the year on this one branch of its business would apparently be $8,900,000.

The company's capital stock is $90,000,000, half common and half preferred, on which dividend requirements at 7 per cent. for the year amounted to $6,300,000. Deducting the amount paid for dividends from the net earnings of $8,900,000, leaves a surplus for the year of $2,600,000.

The company had, according to its report for 1902, $45,576,776 invested in other companies; part of this is represented by investments in cane-sugar companies at Philadelphia and the Western Sugar Refining Company of California.

FOUR PASSENGERS INJURED.

WRECK ON NORTH SHORE ROAD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOMALES, Jan. 21.—The rear coach of the southbound train from Cazadero, on the North Shore Railroad, was derailed at about 2:20 o'clock this afternoon, near Ochre station. The rest of the train remained on the track. Four passengers were injured, none of them seriously. They are:

HARRY WOOD, of Cazadero.
C. M. DIDDING, of Pasadena.
MRS. A. POWELL, Cazadero.
C. E. FIELD, of Ross Station.

The accident was caused by the recent rains having undermined the track.

TRAIN HAD A BIG BRAIN.

Ranks Twenty-seventh in List of Those Removed from World-famous Men.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—After a musical service in an undertaking establishment, the remains of "Chinese" George Francis Train were buried today in Greenwood Cemetery.

Scientists, with the consent of Train's relatives, removed the brain, which was found remarkably heavy and with no signs of withering, as is usual in persons of his age. It weighed 53.8 ounces and ranks, according to medical records, twenty-seventh in the list of brain-eights of 196 world-famous men. This is six ounces more than the average.

Fire in Jersey City destroyed two buildings occupied by Brown and Miller's machine shops, and a number of small machinery concerns. Loss, $150,000.

FEATHER DUSTER AIDS PNEUMONIA.

EPIDEMIC IN NEW YORK LAID TO HOUSEHOLD UTILITY.

Alarming Increase in Death Rate Causes Leading Physicians to Issue Instructions as to How Rooms Should be Cleaned.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—In order to check the increase in the number of deaths from pneumonia and other diseases due to inclement weather, an advisory board of leading physicians appointed by the Health Department has formulated rules for the guidance of the public.

Deaths from pneumonia, influenza, bronchitis and similar ailments last week numbered 673, an increase of 21 over the preceding week and 121 over the record of the opening days of January. There has been a jump in the number of cases of pulmonary consumption, 343 being reported last week, an increase of 47 over the preceding week.

The advice given by the advisory board recommends, among other things, the discontinuance of using feather dusters by housewives. The physicians' statement says:

"Exposure to cold, overexertion, lack of physical vigor, abuse of alcohol, etc., predispose the individual to pneumonia, but are not its direct causes. The bacteria germs which are the immediate excitants of pneumonia are usually conveyed in the dust of the air, contaminated by sputum, nasal or other discharge, not always of those who are ill, which, upon drying, is widely disseminated.

"It is furthermore most important that in the cleaning of private houses and all public conveyances and places of assembly the methods used should be such as will remove and not simply stir up the dust which, when contaminated, may incite in susceptible persons, some form of acute pneumonia as well as tuberculosis, and the more common colds and catarrhs.

"Feather dusters should be abandoned and moist cloths used for dusting. Where practicable, sweeping should be done in the evening, so that floating dust may completely settle before its removal by moist cloths in the morning. Moist mops should be passed over floors when these are uncarpeted as part of the morning dusting."

FIVE MINERS KILLED.

Empty Coal Cars Ran Wild and Unfortunates were in the Way—No One to Blame.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WALSENBURG (Colo.) Jan. 21.—three Slav coal miners in the House mine, ten miles from Walsenburg, were instantly killed at 7 o'clock this morning. Two others were badly injured. Eighty empty coal cars ran wild down the incline tunnel of the workings. The dead are:

JOHN NOGLE.
RICHARD NOGLE.
JOHN KIS.

The names of the injured cannot be learned. None of the dead were married. The accident occurred 100 feet from the mouth of the tunnel. The Coroner says no one was to blame.

KEEP OUT OF DEMOCRATS' WAY.

WINONA (Kan.) Jan. 21.—Definite announcement was made today by Irwin Shepard, secretary, that the Executive Committee of the National Education Association has changed the date of the opening of the annual convention in St. Louis, from July 5, to June 28, placing the convention one week earlier than planned, so as to avoid conflicting with the National Democratic Convention.

FOUND DEAD.

Mrs. Laura Hutchinson, wife of Clyman V. Hutchinson, No. 1433 Mitchell place, died very suddenly without medical attendance yesterday afternoon at her home. She had been slightly ill since Christmas and was in the habit of taking a nap every afternoon. Yesterday she went to her room and locked the door. She was called about 2:30 o'clock and answered. About 5 o'clock last night, when her husband returned, he tried to enter her room and finally crawled through a window and found her dead. It is believed to have been due to heart disease. The Coroner will hold an inquest at 10 o'clock this morning at Pierce Bros.' undertaking parlors.

LIBRARY FOR UNIVERSITY.

Millionaire Doe Left Large Sum for a Building at Berkeley.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERKELEY, Jan. 21.—President Wheeler announces that the late Charles F. Doe of San Francisco has left the university 34 per cent. of his estate for the erection of a library building. The regents of the university are empowered to use any portion of the amount not needed for the building as a fund for the purchase of books. It is estimated that the legacy will reach approximately $400,000. With this sum it is believed a large enough building can be erected to meet all the requirements of the university for twenty years.

Speaking of the gift President Wheeler says: "Everyone acquainted with the internal workings and needs of the university knows that no lack is so bitterly felt as that of a proper library building. No gift could have been appreciated by as many people. Henceforth the name of Mr. Doe is forever enrolled among the greatest benefactors of the State."

DRAUGHTSMAN A MILLIONAIRE.

A check for $30,000 as the first return of a grubstake is the luck of William A. Mueller, a draughtsman in the employ of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, who sent his two sons to Cripple Creek to prospect. The father received a check for that amount on Tuesday and resigned his position as draughtsman on Wednesday. He will go to Cripple Creek to visit his sons, but expects to return to Los Angeles. One of his sons was killed in the explosion which uncovered the valuable mine now owned by Mr. Mueller and his son. Mr. Mueller has been a resident of this city for several years, and his boys were educted in the public schools here.

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WASHINGTON.

HE'S BRAVE AND FEARLESS.

The President is Eulogized by Senator Platt.

House Takes up the Army Appropriation Bill.

American Ships and Philippine Commerce.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Senator Platt of Connecticut concluded his speech on Panama today. He defended the course of the President throughout the Panama revolt and eulogized the Executive personally as brave and fearless. During the morning Mr. Morgan spoke in explanation of his bill for the annexation of Panama to the United States, basing his argument on the ground that the pending canal treaty contemplated that result.

The Army Appropriation Bill was under consideration in committee of the whole in the House today for five hours, most of which time was devoted to a general discussion of the tariff question. Mr. Hull of Iowa, chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, explained the provisions of the Army Bill, and Mr. Parker (Rep.) of New Jersey and Mr. Prince (Rep.) of Illinois, paid a tribute to the army as now organized.

Mr. Williams, the minority leader, taking the phrase "Stand pat" for his text, made a general arraignment of Republican policies, and declared that the Republican party had become one of negation. Replying to a question by Mr. Watson of Indiana, he said the tariff should be revised. If he had the power, he would bring about a Democratic tariff, but it would take time. The only opposition to the army bill was made by Mr. Baker (Dem.) of New York, who said he was opposed to war.

THE CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—SENATE—After the disposal of routine morning business in the Senate today, Mr. Morgan called for the reading of the bill introduced by him yesterday, providing for the annexation of Panama to the United States and also of the resolution directing the President to enter into treaties for the construction of a canal over the Nicaragua route. He then entered upon a formal explanation of the two measures.

Continuing, Mr. Morgan spoke of difficulties which the country has encountered in Panama, saying that they were not of the country's seeking, but were due to the precipitation of the President of the United States. It was, however, impossible to undo what had been done, and he believed that further proceedings should be in accordance with legislation. In order to get rid of the consequence of our act, we must make, he said, some equitable arrangement with Panama, so it must not be supposed that Colombia meant to submit calmly.

If, he argued, we are to build a canal in Panama, we must have the good will of Colombia, for without it, the obstacles of abuse and outlawry will be indefinitely increased. Mr. Morgan made an appeal to the newspapers to use their utmost endeavors to secure information concerning the situation, saying there was no probability that any resolution would elicit new information from the Executive Department.

Mr. Morgan presented that the President would not be able to secure further appropriations.

"Indeed," he said, "I don't believe he wants appropriations. It is better for campaign purposes that legislation on the canal question should consist of promises only."

He said that he inserted in his bill the provision for the payment of $15,000,000 for the pacification of Colombia because he had heard the President had entered into an agreement for the payment of that sum for that purpose. He had inserted this provision, as well as the others in the interest of peace and good will, and in the interest of a Panama canal and of all accrued rights. It was intended to meet the emergency, and it would be so accepted by all persons concerned.

When Mr. Morgan concluded, Mr. Platt of Connecticut concluded his speech on the Gorman Panama resolutions begun yesterday. He again took up the argument that the action of the United States and other powers in recognising Panama is irrevocable, and he drew the inference that the Senate must first proceed upon that theory.

DEFENSE OF THE PRESIDENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Mr. Platt defended the President against the charges of committing an act of war, or even an act of intervention, denying that his acts in connection with the Panama revolt amounted to either.

"It is easy," he said, "to make charges and to talk in an excited way. We want specifications, and it is time for Senators who talk of acts of war and of intervention to tell us what an act of war is, and what act of the President in this case amounts to war or intervention. It is acts of which we are speaking, and we are not concerned with what the President thinks or wants."

One thing about the President was that the people believed him honest; that he was a man who did what he believed to be right. The President had met the charges and insinuations that he had connived at a revolution, in a message to Congress. Had he been President, said Mr. Platt, he would not have done it, but the President decided to rest his case with the American people.

He then read the part of the President's message which denied the charges, and he said he would take the word of the President against that of any newspaper article, signed or unsigned.

Mr. Platt said that our rights on the isthmus were superior to those of any treaty. He said the President had the same constitutional right to send ships and land marines at Panama to protect American interests and American lives and property, as President McKinley had to send troops to Peking for the relief of the American legation.

Mr. Platt held that independently of the treaty of 1846, the United States had the right to protect transit across the isthmus, even against Colombia. Indeed, we were bound not only to protect our own interests on the isthmus, but those of the civilized world.

Mr. Tillman asked if the attitude of the nature of a "dicker or badger to increase the price of gold."

Mr. Platt replied that Mr. Hubbard and his forty-five men had nothing to do with the buying of the departure of the Colombian troops. He added that he had seen the newspaper report that the American Vice-Consul, who was not an American citizen, had supplied money to secure the departure of forces. Even if that were true, it did not involve in complicity the government of the United States. There would be, he added, no difficulty in accepting the theory of good faith in those matters if Senators wanted a canal at Panama, and did not want it at Nicaragua.

"I want a canal at Panama," responded Mr. Tillman, "if we do not have to steal it."

To this expression Mr. Platt took exception as unworthy of a gentleman.

Senator Platt spoke briefly of the doctrine of "international eminent domain," but said that the phrase was a misnomer, as there was no question of domain involved.

"But," he added, "there is reason for saying that if the people owning the strip of land across which the world has said there should be an interoceanic canal, hedge it about with difficulties, strike for money and hold up the negotiations, the United States, if the canal cannot be built in any other way, was build it with a strong army, and the message of the President was entirely justified on that point."

Speaking of the President's recognition of the new republic, Mr. Platt said: "The act stands out as that of a brave and fearless man; as the act of a man who is neither rash nor impetuous. He did the right thing at the right time, the thing which will insure the the building of the canal, which has long been delayed. We will build the canal and, when the ships of the whole world with their cargoes are traversing it, these criticisms, these attacks, these vituperations, will be forgotten, and whatever Mr. Roosevelt may do in the present or any other term of office, the act will stand forth as the greatest of his career."

Mr. Tillman was recognized to read the Outend manifesto and the comment made on it by the Republican platform of 1856. He contended that the policy of the present administration was that "might makes right."

"It is," he said, "the doctrine of the wolf in Aesop's fable, that whether the streams run up or down, I am above you and I want you for supper."

He declared our course in Panama to be simply "greedy and dirty."

Mr. Teller spoke in reply to Mr. Platt's reference to the attacks on the President and said he (Mr. Teller) had not reached the point that "the King can do no wrong." As for himself, he was going to vote against the treaty, because it had been negotiated with a combination of men who had no right to make it. If the treaty should be ratified, he would accept it as the law of the land, but until that was done he should exercise his right as a Senator to oppose it, even though he thereby should win Executive disfavor. He did not deny the right of the President to recognize the independence of Panama, but if he did not exercise just discrimination, he was subject to adverse criticism.

Mr. Teller said that no condemnation had been made of the sending of our warships to Panama, but the attack had been directed at the President's utterances in encouragement of the Panama revolt.

When Mr. Teller concluded, the Senate went into executive session and soon afterward adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—HOUSE. When the House convened this morning, a resolution called by Mr. Gardner of New Jersey, chairman of the Committee on Labor, asking the Secretary of Commerce and Labor for a statement showing the number of horses and carriages maintained at the expense of the government for officials in his department and the names of the officials using them was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Hull of Iowa, chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, the House went into committee of the whole to consider the Army Appropriation Bill. Five hours debate was agreed upon. After Mr. Hull had explained the features of the bill, Mr. Parker of New Jersey was recognized. In speaking for the bill, he paid a high tribute to Secretary Root and pointed out the many reforms which he said had been brought about under his administration.

"STAND PAT" POLICY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Mr. Williams of Mississippi discussed for an hour the "stand pat" policy of the majority party, and talked at length on his pending bill repealing the duty on coal. He read from the testimony before the House Committee on investigation of the last Congress of the coal question to show that coal was 64 cents less a ton during the year than before the tariff was repealed.

Mr. Payne of New York asserted that the price of coal was not less to the consumer during this period.

Mr. Williams combatted this statement, and asked Mr. Payne why his party did not "stand pat" for free coal. He declared it was impossible to find out what the Republican party was "standing pat" on.

"It was only a few days ago," he continued, "that the 'Great I Am' of the Republican party delivered a speech in which he said, 'We hold the ace.' Now, I had a private and confidential conversation with a gentleman of this House this morning, and he told me he did not know a single game of cards in which the ace wins."

"I'll tell you what we have got that does win," interjected Mr. Palmer of Pennsylvania. "We have a 'straight flush.'"

"Well," rejoined Mr. Williams, "I do not know what a 'straight flush' is, but you have not got as much of a flush as you are said to have. Things are not so flush as they were a while back."

Mr. Williams asked if the Republicans were going to stand pat on the currency question, and on the trust question, and called attention to his bill declaring over-capitalization a public swindle. He asked if they were going to stand pat on the postoffice investigation, and asked why they had not permitted an investigation by a committee of the House. He asked if they were going to stand pat on the public land business, and if they purposed to stand pat on the ship subsidy question, or to let that drift along until after election. He charged that the Republicans were becoming a party of negation.

Mr. Baker of New York opposed the Army Bill on the ground that he was opposed to war, and would not vote to appropriate money for preparations for war.

"It should be designated as a bill to appropriate $75,000,000 to put it into the power of one strenuous man to get this country into possible conflict with every other civilized nation on earth," he said.

COASTWISE LAWS.

AND PHILIPPINE TRADE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Senate Committee on Philippines gave a hearing today on Senator Frye's bill extending the coastwise laws of the United States to the trade with the Philippines, so that all commerce between the islands and the United States shall be carried by American vessels.

mouth Cordage Company, Plymouth, Mass., said American vessels should be given the business between the United States and the Philippine Islands as soon as they are prepared to take care of it. He asked that the time the bill takes effect be extended to April 11, 1908, when the Spanish ships lose their right, under the treaty with Spain, to engage in the Philippine trade on a par with American ships. He thought by that time the competition of American vessels would be sufficient to carry on the trade without resulting in material advance in freight rates. He said he was willing the bill should pass if it did not result in an increase of more than 25 per cent. over the present freight rate.

It was brought out that the eastern cordage manufacturers fear the passage of the bill would build up the twine manufacturing industry on the Coast and wreck eastern industries. It developed that the present freight rates on Manila hemp amount to about 66 cents per 100 pounds, and it was estimated by manufacturers that the freight rates, by the passage of the bill, would be advanced fully $1 per 100 pounds. Under these conditions, they represented, the trade in hemp would return to London, where it centered prior to the opening of Philippine ports.

Mr. Loring and Edwin Metcalf of Auburn, N. Y., president of the Colombian Rope Company, both declared that they did not believe there were enough American vessels plying between Atlantic coast ports and the Philippines to take care of the cordage business.

O. F. Holmes, treasurer and general manager of the Plymouth Cordage Company, explained the exportation of binding twine, and declared the duty on importations does not in any way assist the manufacturers, as they export to the only countries that could in any way enter into competition with them.

The Plymouth and Colombian cordage companies, through their representatives, told the committee they would agree not to enter into contracts with American shipping companies to pay 10 per cent. increase over the present freight rates paid to foreign shippers for 100,000 tons of Manila hemp per year. The Plymouth company representatives said that would be a contribution of $12,500 a year from their company alone as a subsidy to American ships.

After recess Mr. Lodge announced that the shipping interests would be heard next.

MONOPOLIZED BY TRAMPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Mr. Bullitt of Philadelphia said the shipping between the United States and the Philippines was now confined almost exclusively to tramp steamers. The cost of operating foreign vessels was so much less than operating American vessels that he believed it would be necessary to pay a bounty to American vessels engaged in the Philippine trade.

Winthrop T. Marvin of Boston, representing the combined shipping interests, said there were enough American ships to transact the Philippine business. The French subsidy was responsible for the low rate made by French vessels between Hawaii and San Francisco.

Senator Culberson asked what restraint there would be on American vessels if this new law was passed and a monopoly created.

Mr. Sewall of Maine thought the competition between American vessels and American vessels operated in connection with trans-American railroads would prevent excessive rates under any possible American shipping monopoly.

James Jerome and Edgar F. Luckenbach of New York spoke of the number of vessels available for the business, declaring that American vessels were lying idle because of inability to compete with foreign ships. George S. Dearborn, president of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, said his vessels were ready for either Atlantic or the Pacific business.

Henry W. Peabody of Boston said that the bill menaced the existing commerce of the Atlantic Coast.

FIGHTING IN URUGUAY.

THREE SEVERE BATTLES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—According to a cable report to the State Department from United States Minister Finch at Montevideo, Uruguay, the revolutionary disturbances in that country are much more serious than has been supposed here. The minister cables under date of the 20th, as follows:

"There have been three battles, all won by the government, the last one being on the 18th. The total number killed and wounded was about five hundred. The government forces were estimated at about twenty-eight thousand and the rebels at seven thousand to nine thousand. The opinion here is that the insurrection will be suppressed in a month, unless aided by near neighbors. The press and telegraph censorship continues.

CRUSHING YELLOW JACK.

MEXICO AIDS UNCLE SAM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Surgeon-General Wyman of the House Health and Marine Hospital Service, today returned from Mexico, where he secured the cooperation of that government in measures intended to prevent the recurrence of epidemics in the yellow-fever region. Dr. Wyman says that with the enforcement during the winter of the precautions agreed on, the recrudescence o. yellow fever in the summer and autumn may be prevented.

POSTOFFICE CASES.

MACHEN'S GREAT "ECONOMY."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—At the trial of August W. Machen, the Groff Brothers and the Lorenss, on an indictment charging conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with the sale of letter-box fasteners, just before adjournment, after J. W. Herring, cashier of the Union National Bank of Westminster, Md., had told of the various transactions of Machen with his bank, Taggart, assistant district attorney, offered in evidence the transcript of Machen's entire dealings with that institution. To the admission of this transcript, Charles A. Douglass objected.

Taking up the document, Holmes Conrad, special counsel for the government, contended that it was admissible, and remarked that in looking over it, it appeared that, by strict economy, Machen, on a salary of $3500 a year, had managed to make $20,000 a year. This brought forth a storm of protests from counsel for the defense, who appealed to the court to let Machen be tried on only one charge at a time. In the midst of argument, an adjournment was taken until tomorrow.

ALL WORE FULL UNIFORM.

DIPLOMATS AT RECEPTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The second of the formal levees at the White House for the season, the reception of President and Mrs. Roosevelt to the judiciary, was held tonight. There were 1700 guests present. The diplo-

Count Cassini, Russian Ambassador, attended in a body. All of them, in accordance with a special request made through Count Cassini, were full uniform.

"CONSTITUTION" A MUSEUM.

PRESERVE SHIP AND NAME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Secretary Moody has directed that the historic ship Constitution shall be retained at the navy yard at Boston and from time to time repaired, that she may be preserved indefinitely.

The Constitution will be made into a naval museum, the nucleus of which is now at the Boston yard. The secretary also has decided to name a battleship Constitution in order that the name may be preserved in the navy.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Postmaster at Florence.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jennie E. Fall was today appointed postmaster at Florence, Los Angeles county.

Congress, Ariz., Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The President today sent to the Senate the nomination of George W. Dalts to be postmaster at Congress, Ariz.

Internal Revenue Collections.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue shows that the total collections for December, 1903, were $59,577,199, a decrease for the month of $196,561. For the six months of the present fiscal year, the receipts exceeded the receipts of the corresponding period last year by $1,544,685.

LABOR.

SOCIALISM LAID OUT ON TABLE.

MITCHELL KEEPS MINE WORKERS OUT OF POLITICS.

Movement on Foot to Form Coalition of Two Organizations of Coal-diggers—Resolution to Send More Money to Colorado Strikers.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Jan. 21.—At the opening of the convention of the United Mine Workers of America today, a resolution was considered providing for two delegates to attend the convention of the Western Federation of Miners and endeavor to establish friendly relations or form a coalition between the two organizations. An effort may be made to have the Federation join the American Federation of Labor and so be subject to the jurisdiction of the United Mine Workers. A resolution was adopted urging the election of United States Senators by a direct vote.

Delegate Howell of Colorado introduced a resolution which in a lengthly preamble set forth all the doctrines of the Socialists and asked the mine workers to take the initiative toward calling a world's convention of trades unions to consider plans for the distribution of wealth created by labor. After an hour's heated discussion it was tabled. President Mitchell took the floor and urged the organization to confine itself to trades unionism. He said under it the miners were getting higher wages than ever before. He allowed every man his political opinions and the privilege of voting them, but the organization should have nothing to do with political issues.

A resolution asking that the $21,600 per week now being given the Colorado strikers be increased by a per capita assessment of 50 cents per week for one month was introduced. It brought forth a prolonged discussion of the Colorado strike. The amount that would be raised under the resolution would be $500,000. The discussion showed warm sympathy for the Colorado strikers. The resolution was referred to the National Executive Committee. The matter will probably come up later.

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ANNUAL BANQUET OF HOLLAND SOCIETY OF NEW YORK.

The President Expresses Regret at Not Being Able to Dine With Fellow Dutchmen—The Hague Court's Work.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—More than four hundred members and guests of the Holland Society of New York attended the annual dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria tonight. The toasts included "Peace," William J. Bryan; "Holland, Our Ally in the Revolution," Rev. George C. Lorimer; "The Friendly Relations of the Dutch with Other Nations," Sir Chentung Liang Cheng; and "Our Hero Ancestors," James M. Beck.

President Roosevelt sent the following letter: "I wish I could be present at the dinner of the Holland Society. Naturally I take particular interest in it, but it simply is not possible for me to make another engagement of any kind this winter. With hearty good wishes and expressing my regret that I am not with you, fellow Dutchmen of New York, on this occasion."

Bryan was received with cheers. He referred to the Boers, and said that one lesson taught by the war they had fought with England was that conquest was expensive and he did not think any nation would again try to take territory from any republic.

Continuing, Bryan said: "Since my visit to the Netherlands, my thoughts have been dwelling much upon the important part that that little nation seems destined to take in the movement that has for its object the substitution of reason for force in the settlement of differences between nations. We must not expect all armies to be disbanded at once or look for the immediate settlement of all questions by arbitration. The peace conference, which, by invitation of the Emperor of Russia, convened at The Hague, revealed the fact that society is at last approaching peace."

POLICE CARRY UNION CORPSE.

Fellow Workers Couldn't Stand Non-union Drivers at Funeral.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 21.—At the request of a local undertaker, today, Chief of Police Kiely detailed four policemen as pallbearers at the funeral of a union waiter, whose fellow-workers declined to act because non-union drivers were employed.

Fifty liverymen and undertakers were sworn in today as private watchmen and others were notified by the Liverymen's Association to apply for police rights to better protect their property during the present drivers' strike.

CURIOUS CHICAGO CROOK CASE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—A prosperous ticket broker in a fashionable hotel by day and a general receiver of stolen property by night is the character given by the police to Charles F. Stout, who has for some time conducted a fashionable ticket broker's office in the Talesrhof Hotel. Stout has been arrested on the confession of a burglar. He declares that he paid his stolen property to him, but did not receive its value. The broker was held in bonds of $2500.

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